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Amendment

TO THE CONSTITUTION PROPOSED to the citizens of this Commonwealth for their approval or rejection by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Published by order of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, in pursuance of Article XVIII of the Constitution.

[illegible] the following amendment is proposed to the Constitution of the Commonwealth, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:

AMENDMENT.

There shall be an additional article to said Constitution to be designated as Article XIX, as follows:

ARTICLE XIX.

The manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor, to be used as a beverage, is hereby prohibited, and any violation of this prohibition shall be a misdemeanor, punishable as shall be provided by law.

The manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor for other purposes than as a beverage may be allowed in such manner only as may be prescribed by law. The General Assembly shall, at the first session succeeding the adoption of this article of the Constitution, enact laws with adequate penalties for its enforcement.

A true copy of the joint resolution.
CHARLES W. STONE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Amendment

TO THE CONSTITUTION PROPOSED to the citizens of this Commonwealth for their approval or rejection by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Published by order of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, in pursuance of Article XVIII of the Constitution.

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the Commonwealth.

SECTION 1. *Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met,* That the following is proposed as an amendment of the constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:

AMENDMENT.

Strike out from section one, of article eight, the four qualifications for voters which reads as follows:

"If twenty-two years of age or upwards, he shall have paid, within two years, a state or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months, and paid at least one month before the election," so that the section which reads as follows:

"Every male citizen twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at all elections:

First. He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

Second. He shall have resided in the state one year (or if, having previously been a qualified elector or native born citizen of the state, he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months) immediately preceding the election.

Third. He shall have resided in the election district where he shall offer to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election.

Fourth. If twenty-two years of age or upwards, he shall have paid, within two years, a state or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months, and paid at least one month before the election," shall be amended, so as to read as follows:

Every male citizen twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at the polling place of the election district of which he shall at the time be a resident and not elsewhere:

First. He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least thirty days.

Second. He shall have resided in the state one year (or if, having previously been a qualified elector or native born citizen of the state, he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months) immediately preceding the election.

Third. He shall have resided in the election district where he shall offer to vote at least thirty days immediately preceding the election. The legislature, at the session thereof next after the adoption of this section, shall, and from time to time thereafter may, enact laws to properly enforce this provision.

Fourth. Every male citizen of the age of twenty-one years, who shall have been a citizen for thirty days and an inhabitant of this state one year next preceding an election, except at municipal elections, and for the last thirty days a resident of the election district in which he may offer his vote, shall be entitled to vote at such election in the election district of which he shall at the time be a resident and not elsewhere for all officers that now are or hereafter may be elected by the people: *Provided*, That in time of war no elector in the actual military service of the state or of the United States, in the army or navy thereof, shall be deprived of his vote by reason of his absence from such election district, and the legislature shall have power to provide the manner in which and the time and place at which such absent electors may vote, and for the return and canvass of their votes in the election district in which they respectively reside.

Fifth. For the purpose of voting, no person shall be deemed to have gained or lost a residence by reason of his presence or absence while employed in the service of the United States or the State, nor while engaged in the navigation of the waters of the State or of the high seas, nor while a student of any college or seminary of learning, nor while kept at any almshouse or public institution, except the inmates of any home for disabled and indigent soldiers and sailors, who, for the purpose of voting, shall be deemed to reside in the election district where said home is located. Laws shall be made for ascertaining, by proper proofs, the citizens who shall be entitled to the right of suffrage hereby established.

A true copy of the joint resolution.
CHARLES W. STONE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

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CHAPTER VII.

THE VICTORY OF TRAFALGAR.

Day followed day and season followed season. I had been with Lady Campion nearly two years. I had been so long in the great, quiet house, where no footfall was ever heard on the thick carpets, so long with the stately lady who saw everything with blind eyes, that the old life seemed quite gone and lost. No more running and singing; and if, as happened sometimes at first, a sense of weariness would fall upon me, madam, who divined everything, would admonish me.

"It is for Will's sake, Pleasance."

And for his dear sake, what labor, what weariness, could not be borne?

We did not stay all the time in the city. Lady Campion had a house at Chertsey, whither for three months in the year we repaired, governess, lessons, and all. There a horse was kept for my own riding, and a groom to protect me. When September vanished, and the leaves were yellow, we left Chertsey and drove back to our city house, in a carriage almost as grand as that of the lord mayor.

No letter from Will all this time, not one line.

We kept up the deceitful correspondence between Will and his mother. What travels we contrived for him! What adventures John Huntspill and I imitated from books, or invented out of our own head! What hair breadth escapes! What romantic incidents! Madam had no suspicion. She watched for the arrival of the letters, she had them read and re-read to her, she learned them all by heart, she quoted them as admirable specimens of the best modern style, she [illegible] from incidents in the letters.

They were all victorious in those days. Surely there was never a time when a nation was so brave as in the time of that long war. There was no note of hesitation then—no timid counsels. Girl as I was, I gloried in the spirit of the country, when, with one consent, the nation flew to arms to resist the threatened invasion. Every day after breakfast I read aloud The Morning Post, especially that portion of the paper which gave the naval intelligence.

One morning I read the news of the battle of Trafalgar.

The list of casualties would be published in a few days. John Huntspill and I went about with heavy hearts. He did not dare to meet my eyes, for his Portsmouth correspondent had found out that all four were on board the Victory.

We had illuminations in the city to celebrate the victory on the Day of Rejoicing. We drove to church to offer up our humble offering, we invited guests for a feast of thanksgiving, we sent money for the poor in token of gratitude, and we gave orders that the rejoicings of the house of Campion & Co. should excel in splendor those of every other private house. The front of the house was covered over with a trellis work on which were fixed thousands of oil lamps of different colors, arranged in patriotic designs. In the center was the lion and unicorn, with the words "God save King George." Above was the union jack, with the legend "Honor to the glorious dead!" I drew out the plan by madam's instructions. She thought me wanting in enthusiasm and delivered a little speech on the part which should be borne by women in the glory of their country. Above all, she said—her words fell upon me as a bad omen—above all, a man must be ready, for the sake of their country, to suffer without a murmur the loss of husbands, lovers or sons.

On the morning of this joyful day John Huntspill, in paying his daily visit to madam, handed me quietly a letter. It was addressed to me. I had seen the writing once before, in [illegible] Could it be from Will? I hastened away and tore it open with trembling fingers. It was not from Will. It was from Dan Gulliver, and it was the saddest letter that ever a girl received!

"MY DEAR PRETTY (said poor old Dan)—We have made the port of Portsmouth, with the admiral aboard in his coffin. Jephthah was killed in the action, with a round shot, which cut him in two pieces. My poor, pretty Pleasance, don't cry too much, but Mr. Campion fell overboard on the way home, and is consequently drowned. This is bad news for you, I am afraid, and for me too. Job sends his love, and he says he is alive, and he wishes it had been him. Your affectionate
DAN GULLIVER."

That is the news which greeted me on the Day of Illumination for the victory of Trafalgar.

My governess came to me. I sent her away with some excuse and sat down by myself, saying over and over again, so that I should be able to feel the whole bitterness of despair: "Will is drowned! Will is drowned! We shall never see him again!"

John Huntspill came in search of me. He saw by my face what had happened. He took the letter from my fingers and read it. "Poor Pleasance!" he said. "Poor, poor child!"

I think he must have sat with me all that morning. I know he talked from time to time, but I forget what he said. Presently I began to understand something. "We must not let madam know," he repeated. "She must never know. We will prepare a letter from—from her son"—he paused, and for a moment his voice broke—"stating that he is going on some expedition up the country, and then no more letters at all will come afterward and you will mourn together—you and his mother. But she must never know her son's real end."

Had I had my will I would have gone straight to madam and told her all. But it seemed more merciful that she should be spared the details, which he wished his mother never to know.

"For his sake, Pleasance," urged John Huntspill, "for his sake be brave; keep your heart before her. Let not my lady's pride, as well as her heart, be broken. She must never know. For his sake she must never know."

He would not leave me till I promised that I would do my best. During the rejoicings I too, would seem to rejoice.

Oh, heavy day! Oh, day which seemed as if it would never pass! At 1 I was called to luncheon with madam. She was in excellent spirits, happier than I had ever known her. Presently she asked sharply: "What is the matter, Pleasance? You are crying."

"I was thinking, madam," I sobbed, "of the brave fellows who are killed."

"Yes, but there is a time to mourn and a time to rejoice. You were thinking, my child, of my son." I did not answer. "Come to me, Pleasance." She was sitting after luncheon in her arm chair beside the window. "Come to me."

I knelt at her feet and buried my head in her lap.

"He is a long time away, is he not? But I write to my son and tell him about you, child. When I wrote him last I sent him word that I would not oppose his desire. Yes, Pleasance, I have watched you more narrowly than you know. You will make my son happy. Take my blessing, my dear."

She laid her hand upon my head solemnly. Ah, if she knew—if she only knew!

In the evening, at 5:30, we had a great dinner, which lasted until 9:30, and then we all sallied forth, including madam, into the street, protected by a body guard of the house's porters armed with stout cudgels. The streets were full of people, shouting, fighting and drinking. If they passed a house without illumination they broke the windows. Should we never finish! I thought.

Midnight came at length, and the boat, with the sailors, came back to the square. The puncheon of rum was rolled into the square; there was more shouting, more fighting, until the contents were all gone. We were at the open window, lookin' on. At last the rum was all drunk up, the mob dispersed, the oil lamps went out one by one and we were able to go to bed.

"Good night, my daughter," said madam, as she retired, smiling and happy, to her room. It was the first time she had called me her daughter. Oh, the bitterness! that such a day of death and bereavement should be chosen for this act of grace and kindness!

This torture endured for a fortnight. Then the end came, in a way which we little expected and had not guarded against.

It was in the forenoon, about 11:30, before John Huntspill had left madam, and before the arrival of my singing master, who was due at 12. I was alone in my own room, free for a moment from tutors, governess and my lady—free to think of the past, my only solace. My own maid—she was the only one in the house who knew that I had some secret sorrow—came to tell me that there was a sailor, an old sailor in the hall who wished to see me. Who could it be but Dan Gulliver?

It was indeed old Dan himself. He came up stairs in his slow and quiet way. I saw him before he saw me. He was dressed like a common sailor, his hair was grayer and his dear old face graver, there was no other change.

He stood in the doorway. He actually did not recognize me.

"Dan!" I cried, springing into his arms. "Dan! Don't you know me?"

Then he did, and laid his hands upon my shoulders, holding me back and looking at me, before he kissed my cheek.

"My pretty!" he said, "and growed so tall! And such a lady! To be sure, she always was as sweet mannered as any lady in the land. And oh, my pretty! he's gone! he's gone! Don't take on! don't take on!"

"Tell me all about it, Dan. Tell me. And poor Jephthah gone too!"

"Cut in two halves, he was, with a chain shot. Died in action, my boy Jephthah. But Mr Campion, poor young gentleman, he died by drowning. Fell off the yard in the night, and never was seen—how could he be seen?—afterwards. Poor young gentleman!"

"Oh, Dan—Dan—my heart will break!"

"Cry, pretty—cry as much as ever you can. But cryin' won't bring him back. Cry now, while I tell you all about him.

"They knowed our story aboard the Victory. I was Smuggler Dan. The boys were Smuggler Job and T'other Job—because, I'm sorry to say, they mariners aboard his majesty's ships never knew which was which. And so Jephthah, who is now cut in two pieces, was never knowed as such. And Mr. Campion they called Gentleman Jack. Now remember—some young gentlemen after getting a three years' billet in the fo'k'sle for smuggling would ha' sat down and grizzled. Mr. Campion wasn't one o' that sort. 'Providin' always,' he says to me—'providin' always, Dan, as my mother never finds out, why, what odds is a three years' cruise?' And merry with it. Once he ketches hold of a fiddle, the fo'k'sle's alive, when he begun to play you'd ha' thought the fiddle was talkin', not him a playin'. All round him the men would be sittin' an' singin' till the whole ship was as good tempered as if there wasn't nary a bos'n nor petty officer aboard.

"Well, you may depend on it, pretty, that it wasn't long before the officers got to know what an uncommon sailor they'd got shipped aboard the Victory, for a little run as he'd made across the Channel one fine night, and it wasn't long before Capt. Hardy hisself, finding Mr. Campion on the quarter deck, axed him—ay, before the admiral—who he was and how he came aboard. Mr. Campion, no more afraid of speaking to the captain than to the carpenter, he told him, touching his hat, that he had been caught smuggling; that they'd all got off with three years for the information they gave to the Admiralty, and that he hoped to give satisfaction to his honor so long as he was aboard, after which time, he said, he should give up salloring before the mast. Capt. Hardy he laughed, and the admiral laughed, and then his lordship, who ought to know, said, in his quiet, easy way, that a man was no worse sailor for being a gentleman born, but that gentlemen ought not to run cargoes across the Channel. After that I think the word was passed down to make some sort of difference with us. Anyway, the worst of the bos'ns never laid rope's end on none of us four.

"Come the action of Trafalgar. My pretty, we done our duty—Job and Jephthah and Mr Campion and me—till that chain shot came, and all I saw o' my boy Jephthah was two halves and a pool of blood.

"When the admiral fell they told me to carry him down. That took best part of a quarter of an hour. The action lasted half an hour longer. When the firing ceased and one could look round, I saw Mr. Campion alongside of Job, alive and hearty. As for Jephthah, that poor boy was throwed overboard in two halves.

"We had nasty weather on the way home. One of the prizes foundered. And one dark [illegible] poor Mr. Campion fell overboard and was drowned."

I listened to the story, my head in my hands. When Dan finished I burst out into fresh sobbing and crying. I forgot about Lady Campion and everything. I never looked up. While Dan told his story I lay hiding my face in the sofa and crying, while the door stood wide open, and madam herself stood there listening to every word, and with her John Huntspill, with white cheeks and troubled brow. I looked up in my grief, but sprang to my feet, terrified by the look of madam. She was drawn to her full height, leaning on her stick; her face was perfectly white, her lips trembled; her sightless eyes seemed to pour lightning on poor Dan; she was terrible in her despair and wrath.

"Tell me," she said—"not you, girl; not you—tell me, man, smuggler, sailor, whatever you are, who was this Mr. Campion who fell overboard and was drowned?"

"He was your ladyship's son, and my Pleasance's sweetheart," said Dan, simply.

"And he was a smuggler, too, was he?"

"No, madam, not a smuggler; only once, for a boyish freak, he must needs run across with me for a single venture. And when we were all tried, my lady, at Dorchester 'Sizes, we got off for three years aboard, 'cause of the news we picked up on our way back."

"Tried!—my son was tried!—with common sailors! He was tried and 'got off!'—he was sent to sea!"

"And he is dead," said John Huntspill, in solemn sadness.

"He is dead!" echoed his mother. "And you, girl, knew he was at sea, a common sailor?"

"Alas!" I moaned, "I knew only too well."

"That you concealed from me. Did you know on Illumination Day that my son was dead?"

"I knew that then," I replied.

She was silent for a space. Her eyes were dry and her lips parched. Had she wept one might have had hope.

"All that day," she said, "you gazed upon a rejoicing mother who had lost a son; you, who had lost your lover, rejoiced with the rest."

"Nay, nay!" interposed John Huntspill. "She pretended, to save you. Listen, madam. It was by Mr. William's own wish—nay, command—that you were kept in ignorance of what had happened. I know; I agreed that it would be better. As no letters came from Mr. William, we wrote letters and pretended they were from him—for his sake; we read them to you for his sake. When the dreadful news came I resolved that we would keep up the deception—for his sake, so that you should never know when and how your son had died."

"Get me my desk, John Huntspill."

He went obediently and brought back her great mahogany desk, in which were Will's pretended letters, all neatly tied up. She opened the desk and found the parcel.

"Take them! Henceforth, John Huntspill, you are no longer my confidential friend. I cannot trust you! Trust you? O Heaven! can I trust any one? Is there man, woman or child in this great world that will not lie?"

Poor woman! poor mother! She stood where she had heard the whole, just within the doorway, John Huntspill beside her; before her, Dan Gulliver, amazed, and not knowing what to say or do; and myself overwhelmed with misery.

"We must put some kind of order into our affairs," said madam. "You will send my lawyer to me at once, John Huntspill. Life is precarious, even with the old as well as with the young. I must make new dispositions. And I would be alone—altogether alone—in this house. You will take away the girl. If she wants money, let me know. My son's betrothed must not starve because my son is dead—is dead!" she repeated, with a sad dropping of her voice.

I threw myself at her knees and caught her by the hand.

"Oh, madam! dear madam! forgive me! Say that you forgive me, for Will's sweet sake!"

"Forgive!" she echoed, in a hard voice. "Forgive! what does it mean? I shall not seek to do you harm. You shall have money. What more do you want? You have fooled me and played with me. You have tempted my son to destruction, you and your smuggler friends. My son, who should have been an honor to me and to this city, like his father before him, has died in disgrace. Forgive you? Yes, I will forgive you—when the sea gives up its dead."

CHAPTER VIII.

OUT OF THE GOLDEN MIST.

We were back again at Rousdon—Dan Gulliver and Job and I—to begin again such portion of the old life as was possible. "We will go on," said Dan, sadly, "just as we used to go on before ever he came. We will forget that he ever came. You will forget that you are a young lady."

Alas! not only was the old time gone, but nothing like it could ever come again. Will had torn up the old time and thrown it away. It was dead. But the memory was left. One could sit and think till day after day that summer of 1803 unrolled itself again, and I could remember every word he said, even the lightest, with every gesture and every look.

The people at Lyme welcomed us all with a cordiality which meant not only gratitude for the past, but hope for the future. Since that dreadful day of rebuke when Joshua's delivery of goods was discovered to be so much sea water and nothing else, the town had been without brandy. Campion's fine old Jamaica rum, well enough in its way, was a poor substitute for the right good Nantes which Dan had provided. A taste had been developed which was doomed to disappointment, for no one succeeded Dan. A man cannot suddenly become a smuggler. Relations have to be established on the opposite shore, a connection to be formed at home. It is a business which is the growth of years. Now Dan represented the third, and his sons the fourth generation, of a long career in the trade, during which the whole business for this part of the coast had dropped into the hands of Gulliver & Company, smugglers to the nobility, gentry and clergy of Lyme Regis and the surrounding country. Imagine, therefore, what a blow it was to the district when the fatal arrest happened, followed by the dreadful discovery of the sea water. So that, when we came home again, there were visits paid to us not only of congratulation on our return, and condolence for poor Jephthah, but also of hope and temptation. Mr. Mallock, J. P., walked all the way from Lyme on purpose to see his old friend again, and to hint that the naked condition of his cellar, as regarded French brandy, was deplorable. The Rev. Benjamin Burden, who, long before the end of Dan's two years' captivity, had got through his four kegs, came to say that he was reduced to cider, and that of the thinnest. Dan received these visitors with great politeness, but held out no hopes that the old trade would be revived. First, he said, the Dancing Polly was gone; he should never again find a boat he could trust so well; then his nephew, Joshua Meech, was gone, pressed while busy with the kegs; though how them kegs turned out to be sea water he couldn't say; and Jephthah was gone; and he was getting old, and a second conviction meant a capital sentence. Then his money in John Huntspill's hands was bringing him a little income by itself, and he had given his promise not to smuggle any more. I think the old man had learned to look on smuggling, compared with the great game of war, as a small thing.

It was strange to come back to this queer atmosphere, in which crime appeared no sin and law breaking was encouraged by the administrators of the law. The strangeness passed off after awhile, and then the two years of life in the stately house of the old city square appeared, in its turn, dreamy and unreal.

We came back to the old place, and began in a broken winged way to resume the old ways. Then, naturally, I began to make the house and the housekeeping more in accordance with my recently acquired ideas. Dan acquiesced, wondering; Job tried to adapt himself to my ways with the good will which always distinguished him, but with less success. He betook himself to work on the farm, and in assuming the smock frock immediately changed, just as he used to do, the roll of the sailor for the slouch of the laborer.

John Huntspill wrote to me from time to time. Madam made no sign of relenting. She never asked for news of me; she had withdrawn her confidence from him; she never spoke to any one about her son; she sat silent all the day long, pale and stern. Her heart was full of bitterness.

When Dan began to talk about Joshua, and to regret the misfortunes which befell him, I considered that it would be well to conceal my share in them, and the fact of his treachery. When he came home again—should he ever come home—it would be time to consider. It seemed better to leave the old man in the belief that Joshua's troubles were undeserved. Indeed, it would have been difficult to persuade him that his own nephew could be guilty of so foul and dastardly a crime. For my own part, I hoped that he would never come home again. "A life for a life," I said bitterly. "As he destroyed my Will's life, so let his be taken away."

It was in the dark days of December that we came back to Rousdon. The wintry weather suited the misery of my mind. Yet after a time the old charm of the sea fell upon me and soothed me. Dan painted and calked the little boat. I put out to sea in her again during the soft, smooth mornings common in winter on the south coast, when the sun floats bathed in a soft yellow mist, itself a disk of molten gold; when, if you see a boat, her masts and hull are wrapped round with a yellow haze, like those of a float in a dream. Sometimes Dan came with me, and we sailed or rowed, silent, thinking of the days that could come no more.

"There was no one like him," said Dan, one day when we had been sitting quiet in the boat for an hour and more. "There never was no one like him, and never will be. Joshua had his good points. For a rough night at sea and a ready hand, Joshua never had his equal. But Joshua was grumpy. He took after his father in such respects. Now Mr. Campion, he was always laughing, always talking, always ready to do a hand's turn for everybody. Nobody like him. And to think of"——

"Don't, Dan! don't!" I murmured with the tears coming into my eyes.

We had a dreary Christmas that winter, though after service in the poor old barn, which had gone nearly roofless since Dan went away, the Rev. Mr. Burden came to take his dinner with us. A turkey from the farm yard furnished the meal, and afterward Dan, with a guilty look, produced a bottle of rum. Mr. Burden shook his head sadly, but spent the rest of the day over the drink in company with Dan, and departed in the evening with legs which showed a tendency to tie themselves into knots.

Then the days began to grow longer, and the spring flowers appeared on the Undercliff, till all the ground was covered with the pale primrose. It must have been about this time that everything began to look as if it belonged to a dream. I am not sure when that strange feeling began; I know, however, that Dan used to follow me about, and was loath to let me go out of his sight, for fear, I suppose, that, being in this dreamy way, I might fall into mischief and do myself some injury. Also, he began to talk of doctors, and going to Lyme for a change. Poor old Dan!

The place was so quiet, so remote from all external influences, that one fell back easily upon one's own brooding thoughts; I had no duties and no distractions. Dan was not a great talker, and Job was actually dumb, so that I lived in a dream, and it was a dream of the past.

One night I could not sleep. It was in the middle of August, when there is little darkness on the sea, but only a luminous twilight. I rose about midnight, and dressed myself quickly, thinking I should escape Dan's attentions, and stole down stairs into the open air, just as I had done two years and a half before, to watch for the return of the Dancing Polly. It was not, as then, a rough and boisterous night; there had been all day a fresh breeze blowing from the southeast. This had died away and there was little air left. I slowly passed down the well known path, to sit by the shore and think of my poor dead Will. I sat there while the night slipped away. I was facing the mouth of the little creek, looking straight out to sea.

When the morning broke there was a light fog upon the water, which the sun, when it rose, colored with a beautiful hue, changing every minute. I remembered then—heaven knows how!—that it was the 14th of August, and three years, since first I saw my Will. As I gazed seaward, looking through the fog, I became aware of a ghost.

It was the ghost of a boat shining in the golden mist, all gorgeous with colors. The hull was yellow and blue and crimson, the colors changing every moment; the sail looked like a sheet of azure silk, and the spirit who stood behind the mast—it was the spirit of my Will—was all glorified. I stood quite still, fearing that the vision would fade. I had often, before this, seen him in dreams of the night, but never in the broad day, and in dreams he vanished so swiftly that I could never find time to speak to him. The boat seemed, at first, to be floating on the water—but she was not. In the light air of the morning she was slowly making for the land; and presently she passed through the mist, and lost all the gorgeous colors which the fog had lent her. But the ghost of my Will remained, pale, as all ghosts of drowned men should be. He saw me, as the bow of the boat grated on the stones—he cried my name—he threw up his arms—he leaped ashore.

"Oh, Will! Will!" I cried, falling upon my knees before him, "let me speak to you. Do not go away, as you do in the dreams. Let me speak to you. I knew you would some day think of me and come up from the grave. Oh, what am I to say, now you are here! What can I say, dear Will! poor Will! my dead love, my lost darling! come from heaven to comfort my poor heart! Oh, it is breaking! Will, it is breaking with grief and pain!"

"Pleasance," he cried, lifting me in his strong arms and folding me to his heart, "Pleasance, I am not dead—I am no ghost, my darling. I am come back to you again, alive—alive. Can you not understand? Oh, my love, my darling!"

"Pleasance, I am not dead!"

I could not understand at first, nor for many days afterward. But joy does not kill. Will had, it is quite true, fallen overboard. But he was picked up by a French chasse-marée, and taken to France, where he lived among the fishermen, no one betraying him, till he could persuade one of them to trust him with a boat. He promised a large price, should he reach England in safety. It is needless to say that he kept his promise.

When I was able to listen to it all—when I could sit with my hand in his, in such happiness as never any other girl, I believe, experienced—he began to talk about our marriage. He wanted to see his mother, but he would tell her himself, not write to her. And he could not go, he said, unless I would go with him. What could I say? Of course we were married, just as he wished, he and I, in Rousdon church, by the Rev. Benjamin Burden. Will doffed his sailor clothes for the first time, and appeared dressed as a gentleman. Dan gave me away. It was agreed that we should ride straight from the church into Lyme, and thence post direct, without stopping, to London.

We left Dan and Job and the poor old rector at the door of the ecclesiastical barn. Will lifted me into the saddle and we rode slowly away, poor old Dan crying and Will promising soon to bring me back. We had ridden half a mile or so on our way along the Seaton road, when I saw before me, just before you come to Colway lane, a figure which seemed familiar to me. It was, indeed, only a part of a figure, consisting of a man's trunk and a couple of very short wooden stumps, on which the owner was pegging his way, literally, with uncommon vigor. I was right. The back of the man was familiar to me, for the face, when we came up with its owner, was the face of Joshua Meech.

He looked around at the sound of the horses' feet. At first he did not recognize us. I was dressed in a dark green riding habit, and wore a veil.

"Joshua," I said, softly, "do you not remember us?"

"Joshua Meech, my boy," cried Will, who knew nothing of what had happened. "How goes it, mate? Where did you lose your legs, man?"

"Where a good many lost their heads, Mr. Campion"—he spoke quite cheerfully, while a horribly guilty feeling seized me—"at Trafalgar. Glad to see you safe home again, sir. The villain who did the mischief, he's well punished, he is; and serve him right."

Now no one, except myself, ever knew who the villain was.

Later on, when Dan came to see us in London, he had a good deal to tell of Joshua. The mill was set going again, after he found his money by means of a mysterious letter with a London postmark. It had become ruinous, but the wheels were there, and Joshua began again to practice his ancient craft. He [illegible] no longer [illegible], having been converted on board ship.

The way of his conversion was simple. He once, in his early days aboard, began to argue a point with the chaplain, who was so amazed at the audacity of a common sailor pretending to be skilled in theological subtleties, that he complained to the captain. The captain, a choleric man, ordered an application of the only remedy then employed for offenses and disorders at sea—three dozen.

Before the first dozen had been received Joshua felt conviction pouring in. About midway through the second, the force of the conviction was irresistible. By the end of the third he had steadfastly resolved on adhering, while on board, to the Church of England and Ireland, as by law established. And after coming ashore he continued this godly habit.

It is the last scene of my story.

A bright morning in autumn, when even the city houses look pleasant, and the trees in the city churchyards have not yet lost their leaves, and are pleasant to the eye. We go to the house in the square, Will and I, followed by John Huntspill. Madam has not gone to Chertsey this year.

There are no servants to meet us. John has taken care of that. We cross the hall and mount the stairs, covered with their thick Turkey carpets, which deaden every footfall. On the landing we can look into the great room which madam always uses as her own. We can see madam herself, sitting by the window, pale, rigid and stern.

No one moves, no one whispers. The tears come into Will's eyes as he looks upon his mother. Presently John Huntspill takes my hand and leads me quietly into the room.

Madam looked up in her quick, interrogative fashion.

"It is I, madam," said John.

"Is there anything of importance, John Huntspill? Unless you have news to tell me, why do you come? And who is with you?"

"I have to say a thing of great importance, madam. I bring with me a girl who has suffered much. I ask for your forgiveness for her, and for myself, for the deceit we practiced upon you."

"Oh, madam!"—I knelt at her feet—"we have been very unhappy. Forgive me, and let us be as happy together—as we can."

"I said, Pleasance," she replied, "that I would forgive you when the sea gave up its dead. But that will be long, perhaps. We should wait—till the Judgment day. My dear, I forgive you, for the sake of him whom we both loved. Pleasance, child"—she held out both her hands—"come and let us weep together, and go in mourning and sorrow all our days."

"Not in sorrow, madam. Oh! not in sorrow, but in gladness. For look, the Lord is very merciful. The sea has given up its dead, and here is your son home again, and in your arms!"

THE END.

Great English Railway.

In an address on the business of the London and Northwestern Railroad (England), recently delivered, some figures are presented, that on account of their magnitude, are exceedingly interesting. That great railroad corporation now has a capital of £110,000,000 (about $550,000,000), or about the same capital as that of the Southwestern group of railroads in this country, although the latter has nearly ten times as many miles of road. The revenue of the London and Northwestern is about $50,000,000 annually. It has 60,000 "servants," or "employes," sixteen thousand of whom are employed in locomotive construction. Although the road, with all its branches, is very little longer than the Pennsylvania Railroad, with its leased lines (exclusive of those West of Pittsburg), yet the London and Northwestern runs through such a populous country that it carries annually 60,000,000 passengers and thirty-three million tons of freight. The company own 3,000 engines, which register a mileage annually of over 54,000,000 miles, nearly 150,000 miles a day, 6,218 an hour or 104 per minute. The engines collectively make a journey in four hours equivalent to that of going round the world, and so great is the wear and tear that one new engine has to be brought into use every five days. These are wonderful figures to be presented by a single railroad company only sixty years after the construction of the first successful locomotive and its introduction on railroads.

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FROM THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

(From our regular correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—The local attraction this week of the National Capital is the World's Medical Congress. Between four and five thousand physicians are here, gathered from the four quarters of civilization. Taken as a whole, it is rare that one witnesses a more intelligent or finer looking body of men. The programme is very elaborate for the entire week, and admirably arranged for the pleasure and social enjoyment of the visitors as well as for the advancement of the special science that calls together so many distinguished men. The sudden transformation of the Capital from politics to medicine, has its amusing side; and many very ludicrous incidents are noted. It is customary here to give nearly every one a military or judicial title, and in ordinary times it is General, Colonel, Major, or Judge, but such an influx of M. D.'s, this week has changed entirely the social salutations, and it is now all "Doctor." The news boys and boot-blacks, who are keen and sharp witted, and always have an eye open for opportunity, seize the occasion to apply the prevailing title promiscuously, which often results in great merriment and a frequent extra nickle. The real doctors take in the situation and enjoy the joke with all others.

You know there is a vacancy on the Supreme Court bench, caused by the death of Justice Woods, several months ago, and it has never been filled. These judicial positions are the best gifts under the Government. They are removed from the wrangle and strife of politics, last for life, and pay the nice little sum of $10,000 a year with a very generous list of perquisites. Why the President has not filled the vacancy before is not because of the lack of applicants, but because there has been such a fearful clamor, especially from the Southern States, for the desirable prize. It is now rumored with a good degree of authenticity that the President has decided to appoint Secretary Lamar to the bench and then fill the vacancy in the Interior Department by the appointment of ex-Governor Patterson, of Pennsylvania. Lamar is a man of very distinguished ability and his management of the Interior Department has been one of the greatest redeeming features of the administration, and his appointment to the Supreme Court will doubtless be as acceptable as any that Mr. Cleveland would be likely to make.

That there is an out-and-out rupture between the administration and the mugwumps, is no longer a debatable question, and it is well understood here that the Democratic leaders are rejoicing over the fact. That the mugwumps have proved a serious incubus is no doubt true, and that they elected Mr. Cleveland is equally true, and that they ought to have known that such an unnatural alliance would prove of short duration is the synonym of truth itself. The mugwumps as a political factor have no further existance—the most emphatically "played-out" skeleton of an organization that ever had political recognition. From now on they will cut no figure in the Democratic party manipulations, they are out, and the door is closed against them. The Democratic leaders have beckoned over from the Prohibition camp a new flirt, and the love-making now going on is extremely ridiculous. Think of modest maiden Temperance cooing with modern Democracy [illegible] seemingly serious courtship, but which in the end will prove, as with the mugwumps, betrayal and desertion.
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What is a Prohibitionist?

I will tell you, my boy. I am glad to have you ask questions. That is a sign that you are searching for knowledge. I don't wonder that you ask. A Prohibitionist was a Republican. He was one of the small fry of the party. He was too big for the rank and file. He was too small for the staff or line. He chafed at his greatness. He squirmed under his great smallness. He was not important enough to be invited out of the party. He was too small to be kicked out. True to his great smallness, he sneaked out. He was missed with great pleasure. This aroused his alleged anger. He looked about for revenge. He seized prohibition and blustered while he swung it. He was careless with his prohibition. Some Republicans were weak enough to be annoyed by it. So they took it away from him. A Prohibitionist is one who had something he hasn't. He is a kicker with nothing to kick. He is a disgruntled being seeking something to be mad at. And he can't find it. That makes him madder. So he raves. He raves at the Republicans because they snatched away his only club. He raves at Blaine because Blaine doesn't care. He raves at Francis Murphy because he is a temperance man. A Prohibitionist is not a temperance man, necessarily. He is not anything except a parasite on Republicans. All creatures have parasites. The Republicans have Prohibitionists, as dogs have fleas. The dog doesn't mind them much. Ever read Æsop? "A fly sat on the horn of a bull. The fly said, if I annoy you I will fly away. The bull said I didn't know you were there." It's nice to be a flea or a fly, isn't it? Oblivion is charming to some. To be utterly useless is the forte of a few. The Prohibitionist, my boy, is supreme in his uselessness. And he knows it. This is why he gets sourer and bitterer every year. Temperance is grand. Prohibition is silly.—*Scranton Republican.*

A Change of Sentiment in Iowa.

There seems to be no doubt a strong reaction has set in the State of Iowa against prohibition, and in favor of a license system. High license and anti-monopoly promise to be the important factors in the political contest in that State this fall. Prominent anti-monopoly demands are for the creation of an elective railway commission and the reduction of railway fare to two cents a mile. A secret movement has been organized against prohibition within the Republican party, with its headquarters at Des Moines, where business has offered because of prohibition. A New York *Tribune* special describes affairs in that city:

Drug stores have been transformed into drinking places, and "holes in the wall" abound. Liquors can be obtained in Des Moines without any difficulty. Carriage loads of carousing persons drive along the highways drinking liquor and flinging bottles around. Beer is imported by the car load for "legal purposes" and sold here. The city is deprived of the revenue—at one time amounting to over $60,000 a year—because liquors are handled under the thin protection of the pharmacy law. These acts have aroused opposition among the people of the present system. One of the most notable effects of the law is the closing of the International distillery, which did not manufacture whiskey, but which used vast quantities of grain in the production of commercial alcohol for shipment out of the State.

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THE Warren *Mail* in speaking of the Republican ticket nominated last week says "Mr Morrison, the candidate for Additional Law Judge, is a one armed soldier, is an excellent lawyer and a man of the highest personal character."

A DISPATCH from the private secretary of the Governor Geo Pearson says on Monday last says "The Governor has appointed Mr Morrison. His commission will be forwarded to morrow." The commission reached here on Wednesday.

If the story is true that Mrs Cleveland snubbed Governor and Mrs Foraker at the Presidential reception in Philadelphia last week then Mrs Cleveland forgot for the moment to be a lady and has lowered herself very much in the estimation of the American people.

THERE are only nine cities on the globe whose population numbers one million or over. They are London Eng [illegible]5,819 Paris France 2,269,023 Canton China 1,500,000 New York N Y 1,400,000 [illegible] Japan 1,[illegible]2,050 Berlin Prussia 1,122,330 and three other cities of China Chang chootoo Sian and Tschautchau with 1,000,000 each.

CARDINAL GIBBONS addressed a letter to the Constitutional Centennial commission in Philadelphia in which he said "The Constitution of the United States is worthy of being written in letters of gold. It is a charter by which the rights of the people are secured and by which under Providence the temporal happiness of countless millions yet unborn will be perpetuated."

A SERIOUS question is now agitating many of the leading Democrats of this county. It is simply whether the toad shall swallow the bug or the bug the toad. Our esteemed fellow citizen Keenan seems desirous that the bug should annihilate the toad in some way but Major Backus and other staunch old fashioned Democrats are very decidedly opposed to seeing the identity of the toad entirely obliterated by the bug. Next Tuesday will decide this all important question.

PROFESSIONAL Anarchists throughout the country are indulging in much lurid rhetoric over the decision of the Supreme Court of Illinois against their condemned friends at Chicago. But it is noteworthy that their expressions are very general and vague. Principally it is a protest against this monstrous murder that they urge. They take good care not to descend to particulars and they refrain from talking about killing or "blood revenge." This is one of the first good results of the certainty that the condemned Anarchists must hang.—*New York Tribune.*

THE *Workman* the new K of L paper published in Coudersport, has this to say of the Republican candidate for Additional Law Judge: Thomas A Morrison, of Smethport received the nomination for Additional Law Judge at the Republican Convention at Smethport yesterday. Mr Morrison is one of the ablest lawyers in the State. He has but one arm, having left the other on a southern battle field for the preservation of this republic. He is a poor man, too because he never tried to learn the political tricks through which unearned wealth is acquired.

MR J A THOMAS a delegate to the late Republican County Convention from Port Allegany relates an incident which occurred at the Republican Caucus held in that borough on the evening of the 10th inst. of a somewhat remarkable character. After the business of the Caucus had been disposed of it was suggested that a vote of the twenty five or thirty gentlemen present be taken as to their choice for the next Republican nomination for President and Vice-President. There had been no discussion on the subject and the views of two thirds or more of those present were unknown to the others. It was agreed that each gentleman should write the names on a slip of paper and deposit them in a hat. After all had voted the tickets were examined and every ticket but one read "For President James G Blaine, for Vice President, Robert T Lincoln." The one ticket read "For President, John Sherman, for Vice President, Robert T Lincoln." There is no question but that this vote represents the sentiments of the Republican voters in this section of Pennsylvania. That sentiment is overwhelmingly in favor of Blaine as the standard bearer of the Republican party in the contest of next year.

OUR CANDIDATES.

The ticket nominated by the Republican County Convention on Tuesday of last week is universally commended by all classes of citizens, irrespective of party. The nominees are from the ranks of the best citizens of McKean county, and their history is of such a character as will bear the closest scrutiny. In order that our readers may know the character of the men they are asked to vote for, we herewith give short sketches of the lives of two of them to be followed next week with others, commencing with that of our candidate for Additional Law Judge.

THOMAS A MORRISON

Mr Morrison was born in Pleasantville, Venango county, on the 4th day of May 1840. He was raised on a farm and as soon as he was old enough to perform manual labor was made to work as farmer's boys were accustomed to work in those days. Three months of the twelve and those the winter months, he was given a chance to go to school and acquire a knowledge of the common school branches. At eighteen years of age he was sufficiently versed in these branches to commence teaching school. He continued to work at farming summers and teaching school winters until the war broke out, and when the [illegible] Regt. Pa. Vols. was organized he enlisted and was mustered in as a private in Co. A of that regiment. He continued in active service until during the battle of Fredericksburg, Va., on the 13th of December, 1862, when he lost his left arm at the shoulder and received a severe wound in the left knee. The comrades of young Morrison supposed they were carrying a dying soldier off the field of battle when they carefully conveyed his body to the rear, but fate had decreed otherwise. Notwithstanding the severity of his wounds and the exposure incident to being sheltered for 3 or 4 days only with army blankets, Morrison survived and was taken to Washington where he remained in hospital until the spring of 1863. He was then mustered out of the service and returned to his home in Pleasantville, maimed for life. Although without money or wealthy friends, he managed to attend the State Normal school at Edinboro, and a school in Poughkeepsie, N Y, several terms. Soon after his return home from school he was unanimously elected Justice of the Peace for the borough of Pleasantville, which position he filled with great satisfaction until the fall of 1867 when he was elected Treasurer of Venango county. He was required to furnish heavy bail, and although a poor man so thoroughly did the capitalists of Pleasantville and Titusville believe in his integrity that his official bonds were signed without any hesitancy by men in these two towns representing millions of money and of both political parties. In 1872 he was appointed a deputy collector of Internal Revenue by his old army comrade Capt. [illegible]. While serving as Treasurer he lived in Franklin but when he was appointed Collector he moved to Oil City where he remained only a few years and where he was married. Subsequently he returned to his old home in Pleasantville where he read law with his life-long friend, Hon. M [illegible]. After his admission to the bar he practiced law in Pleasantville until 1879 when he moved with his family to this place and where he has since continued to reside. During the eight years of his residence here he has engaged in no business but the practice of his profession and it is needless to add, for it is known all over this and adjoining counties, that he has built up an extensive practice. He is a careful, pains-taking lawyer and no man in this section of the State has shown greater advancement in mastering the intricacies of the law than Mr Morrison in the same length of time. There can be but one opinion in this district as to Mr Morrison's ability, and that is that he is one of the most thoroughly equipped men in this section of the State for the position of Additional Law Judge, and that he could not fail to fill the position with great acceptability to both bar and people.

JOSEPH M McELROY

The Republican nominee for Prothonotary is J M McElroy, Esq., who has filled the position for three years past with great satisfaction to those who have had business with the courts. It is conceded generally that a competent Prothonotary is entitled to a second term consequently his re-nomination was easily secured. Mr McElroy was born in Allegheny county Pa. He was educated in the common schools and took part of an academic course. [illegible] was compelled to [illegible]. At the age of fourteen he commenced [illegible] and was engaged as salesman in a [illegible] house in Pittsburgh. When the war broke out at the age of 18 he enlisted in the first call for volunteers for three months. Owing to an attack of typhoid fever he was unable to serve with his regiment [illegible] three years [illegible] 103 Regiment Pa Vols and [illegible] his regiment at Washington in November 1861. He participated in the battles of Williamsburg, Fair Oaks, the seven days fight and Malvern Hill [illegible] in front of Richmond [illegible] where he was [illegible] slightly wounded, taken prisoner and confined at Belle Island. Was afterwards exchanged and took part in the Wilderness campaign and was with Sheridan in front of [illegible] when his term of service expired. [illegible] he was honorably discharged from the service and arrived at his home in Pittsburgh in time to cast his first vote for Abraham Lincoln. After remaining at home a month he came to the oil region of which he has since been a resident. He engaged in the coal business in Oil City and for years was the senior member of the firm of McElroy & [illegible], whose business connections were very extensive all over the oil country. Mr McElroy was quite prominent in the organization of the city government of Oil City and was elected to represent the [illegible] ward in which he lived in the first councils. [illegible] He was married to Miss Martha Woodburn, of Franklin, the result of that union being three children, two of whom are now living. In March 1878 Mr McElroy moved to Bradford in this county where he also engaged in the coal business. Soon after he was elected to the common council where his former experience in municipal affairs [illegible] of great help in legislating for [illegible] this city. Subsequently he was elected President of the council [illegible] took a leading part in pushing forward public improvements. He has always taken an active part in [illegible] and beneficial work and is at present [illegible] of the A O U W of that place. He has been a member of the Grand Army organization since 1879.

THE reports of the Assistant Adjutant Generals of the different departments for the last quarter all show marked gains in the membership of the Grand Army of the Republic. The greatest gain was in the Department of New York where the total membership is 35,841, a net gain of 2,728. The department of Pennsylvania is still the banner department, with 39,736 members in good standing. In this department there was a gain of about 1,500 in the last quarter. The department of Ohio ranks second with a roll of 37,901 members. Since the above reports were made information has been received from all parts of the country that there is an extraordinary number of applicants for admission in the various Posts. Something has stirred the old soldiers up to the necessity of enrolment in the ranks of the Grand Army.

Centennial Celebration

The Constitutional Centennial celebration at Philadelphia last week exceeded all expectations in the attendance and completeness of its details. Never before in this country has such a demonstration been known or seen.

The industrial display on Thursday was a wonderful exhibition of Philadelphia's industry and thrift. The only pull back to the procession on Broad street from 10 A. M. till dark was the want of room in which to show the industrial products to advantage and the want of space to accomodate the people. The weather was perfect. The presence of the Chief Executive of the Nation and Governors of several States, helped to give dignity and enthusiasm to a celebration long to be remembered.

The military display on Friday showed the largest body of citizen soldiers ever in line in this country. At the head of the procession rode fighting Phil Sheridan, who twenty three years ago won a warm and sure place in the hearts of the people, which he holds to-day as firmly as ever. To the many who knew him only by fame the sight of his grizzled face and thoroughly military figure was one of the most gratifying features of the day. Second to him the one legged Governor of Pennsylvania was cheered to the echo by the crowds along the line, followed by thousands of Pennsylvania guards, solid, serviceable and showing in every detail that it was equal to any emergency.

On Saturday came the real anniversary of the promulgation one hundred years ago of the constitution which gave us more perfect union. Song, prayer and speech succeeded each other on the immense platform in Independence Square under the shadow of the historic Independence Hall. The President presided and spoke briefly. Mr Kasson, president of the commission by whom the great show was so well organized and conducted, also made a brief address, followed by the memorial oration by the senior Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States. Altogether the people of Philadelphia and the nation at large have reason to be proud of their first Constitutional Centennial celebration.—*Warren Mail*

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The Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia R. R. ceased paying interest on its obligations in May 1885, and on the 29th of that month G Clinton Gardner was appointed receiver. A committee of reorganization was appointed in the city of New York consisting of Hon Carl Schurz, C H Clark, C N Frye, I N Seligman and T H Adrian Troup. Committees were also appointed in Amsterdam and Frankfort. It is stated that about ninety six per cent of the creditors and stockholders of the company have united in this plan and upwards of $2,100,000 in cash has been paid in for the purposes of the reorganized company. The reorganized company includes the old Oil Creek, Union & Titusville, the Pittsburg Titusville & Buffalo, the Buffalo Pittsburg & Western, the Warren & Franklin, the Buffalo New York & Philadelphia railroad, and its narrow gauge system consisting of the Olean Bradford & Warren, the Kendall & Eldred, and the Bradford short line and extends from Buffalo and Rochester to New Castle, Oil City and Emporium in this State. The total mileage of the road is about 625 miles, and the amount bid for the property was $1,900,000.

The Buffalo, New York & Philadelphia railroad in the State of New York was sold under foreclosure proceedings in the city of Buffalo on the 10th inst and bought in by Carl Schurz, representing the committee. It will be necessary to organize two separate corporations, under the laws of the States of New York and Pennsylvania, which will then consolidate under the name of the Western New York and Pennsylvania Railroad Company. The reorganized railroad company will create a first mortgage not to exceed $10,000,000. A contract has been made with a syndicate to take as many of the first mortgage bonds as will be necessary for the purposes of the new company, which will then start free of a floating debt, with a cash capital adequate to the supply of needed equipment, and insure the profitable and successful operation of the new line.

Our Judges.

When the system of an elective Judiciary for a limited term of years was adopted in Pennsylvania, there were fears in the minds of many that the Bench would be degraded by the election of mere politicians to it and by the making seats upon it the objects of low partisan strife. Those fears have however been nullified. In general a man who has once been appointed by the Governor to fill a vacancy, or elected by the people at the beginning of a term and has manifested his fitness for the place has been elected and re-elected without opposition, the different party conventions accepting him as their candidate. And we doubt whether anywhere judges can be found with a more spotless reputation than belongs to those who are on the Supreme Bench in the courts of our cities and in the different district courts of the State.

One of this class is Henry W Williams, President Judge of the Fourth Judicial District who was last week nominated unanimously and on the first ballot by one of the State Conventions for a vacancy in the Supreme Court. No man is better known to the Presbyterians of the State and the country for as a Ruling Elder he has frequently been a member of ~~Synod and Assembly~~, and no man labored.

A personal acquaintance with Judge Williams began in Pittsburg Assembly of 1875. It was our honor and privilege not only to be a member of that body but to be associated with Doctor now President J H M Knox and S C Perkins Esq as counsel to defend the old Synod of Philadelphia at the bar of the Assembly in the well known Hermon Church. Judge Williams, as a member of the Assembly was requested by the appellant to act as his counsel. His course then as a professional opponent made a delightful impression on our mind. From time to time since we have been thrown together in similar legal procedures, but with, not against each other. He was a member of our last Synod and of the Commission of it which tried the Glenfield Church case. As one of his associates in the Commission we can say that he, as a leading mind largely shaped its action. Then, on notice of appeal and complaint being given he was appointed with Dr I N Hays and the writer of this, counsel to defend the Synod before the Assembly both in that case and in the Prohibition Complaint case. Dr Hays and we regretted greatly that sickness prevented our colleague's presence in Omaha, a regret that would have been keenly intensified if by any failure of either of us, in his absence the action of Synod had been reversed.

In all our intercourse with Judge Williams, we have been struck by the pre-eminent judicial balance of his mind. That united with his gentlemanly bearing, amiability attaches to him all who know him. We are not writing in any partisan interest. When we add that in 1881 he was unanimously re-elected President Judge of his district consisting of five counties, being nominated by Republican, Democrat, Greenback and Granger Conventions, it will be understood why we can, with the utmost propriety, pay this tribute to him, with the added remarks that happy is the Church and happy is the State that have such men as officers and citizens, and that the fact that politicians present them to the people for their suffrages is one of the best indications of the really sound and healthy moral condition of the body politic. And the fact that Judges nominated by both the two great parties can be written of in a similar strain takes from this any political aim.—*Presbyterian Banner*

THE words of the New York Republican platform are worthy of being inscribed with letters of gold, viz "American markets must be preserved to the products of American labor and capital, and protected from foreign encroachment." This is a way of starting the principle of Protection there is no getting around. It is the old Henry Clay definition of the grand American system. "American Labor and Capital are entitled to the first place in the American market." It is the gospel of prosperity and civilization, and the only true Anti Poverty doctrine.—*Pittsburg Times*

THE Republicans of McKean county have made an excellent selection of a candidate for Additional Law Judge of the Forty eighth Judicial District in the person of Thomas A Morrison, of Smethport. Mr Morrison is a one-armed soldier, is an excellent lawyer and a man of the highest personal character. As President Judge Olmsted is from Potter county the nominee of the McKean Convention will be indorsed by the Potter county Republicans, and his election assured beyond a doubt.—*Philadelphia Times.*

IGNATIUS DONELLY

Much similar to the ever varying sea serpent tales is the Bacon Shakespear controversy which ever and anon arises to the top of the literary cauldron as so much seem to be cast aside until the arising of the next boil. Mr Ignatius Donelly the well known advocate of the Baconian theory is so much a lover of literature that his innate desire to know about and investigate the mystery attached to the Shakespearian writing is only a natural one, and Mr Donelly emphatically claims that Lord Bacon is the authentic author of the Shakesperian writings. Ignatius Donelly is a native of Philadelphia, having been born in that city some fifty years ago. Removing westward he settled in Minnesota, where he became a well and honorably known influential citizen of the State. He has long been connected with its public and private affairs, his political record showing him capable of fulfilling such high positions as Senator, Member of Congress etc. As an author and journalist whose writings have met with wide favor Mr Donelly's discoveries are simply marvelous. The doubt raised some thirty years ago with respect to the authorship of the Shakespearian plays and the belief that these are the productions of Lord Bacon have both been thoroughly treated of as shown in the fact that more than one hundred books and pamphlets denying the authorship of Shakespear have already been published, and therefore it is an arduous task for any one to claim originality as to any new literary discoveries in regard to this matter, as Mr Donelly has done claiming to have found the mystic cipher which settles the question of authorship. Mr Donelly's books on the subject will be well read and studied by all lovers of Shakesperian literature so that each reader can form his own opinion after careful perusals of them containing statements and theories.

CRITICISING MEN AND [illegible]

EDITOR MINER: The Jeffersonian Democrat referred to by J G S a couple weeks ago in the MINER begs leave to state that his criticism was strictly impersonal and positively correct. When J G S or any of his ilk attempt to sit down on Speaker Carlisle they had better locate on a corner lot in Washington and assist Col Lamont in advising the President. A man who *was* in politics in 1856-57 should either shut his mouth or go to Chicago where he might get the nomination of Grand Mogul of the Anarchists or President of the United States. In this connection I desire to remind the Democratic managers that they can commit *hari kari* next Tuesday by endorsing the Union Labor ticket. They can transfer the organization but not the voters. Don't forget the disastrous Greeley campaign the ef~~fects of which~~ [illegible] ganization are felt to this day.

JEFFERSONIAN DEMOCRAT

COMMANDER IN CHIEF FAIRCHILD of the G A R says he is not a candidate for re-election at the coming meeting and has so expressed himself to hundreds of veterans who are urging him to stand for re-election especially as they are anxious that he should be vindicated. General Fairchild says he cannot afford to devote another year to the duties of the Commander in Chief which are such as to consume all his time to the entire exclusion of his private interests.

THE last Democratic Administration of Ohio began with a surplus of $800,000 and ended with a deficit of $655,000. The administration of Governor Foraker which succeeded that of Governor Hoadley began with the deficit left by the Democrats and now has a handsome surplus. These facts and the arguments based on them have weight with Buckeye voters. Out in Indiana the same argument prevails.

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Bishop G I—Bradford city
Colton O H—Bradford city
Cook A H—Eldred tp Indian Creek
Eddy G W—Bradford [illegible]
Esty A J—Bradford city
Farrel, Jno R—Bradford city
Foster J A—Lafayette [illegible]
French G W—Otto Oil Valley
Flanagan Joseph—Ceres King's Run
Grow I R—Ceres Bell's Run
Gennings Thomas—Otto Barse Tract
Griffith J T—Wetmore E Kane
Geary Thomas—Lafayette Lafayette
Greenewald J C—Bradford city
Gregg Robert—Bradford city
Henline Mark—Bradford city
Howell J I—Bradford city
Hadley M J—Annin
Hartin, B—Otto Tram Hollow
Josburger, August—Bradford city
Lamphier Frank—Ceres
Lilley L—Otto, Fullerton
McKean Ed—Keating
McGraw James—Lafayette Alton
McMahon Michael—Bradford city
McCray John W—Bradford city
Merrow F C—Bradford city
Near G W—Keating East Smethport
Nutting L—Kendall
Ostrander P D—Keating
Oaks L W—Bradford city
Phillips Wm M—Bradford city
Ralph J C—Bradford city
Rhodes S I—Bradford city
Rowley Wm—Bradford city
Robinson J M—Hamlin
Rails Samuel—Annin
Robinson W S—Kendall
Sawyer M J—Liberty
Totten W T—Sergeant

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Court Proclamation.

THE HON A G OLMSTED, President Judge of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans and Court of Common Pleas for the county of McKean has issued his precept bearing date Friday May 27 1887 and to me directed for holding a Court of Common Pleas at the borough of Smethport on Monday the 3d day of October 1887 and to continue two weeks.

Notice is therefore hereby given to the Coroners Justices of the Peace and Constables within the county that they be then and there in their proper persons at 2 o'clock p m of said day with their rolls, records, inquisitions examinations and other remembrances to do those things which their offices appertain to be done. And those who are bound by their recognizances to prosecute the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of said county of McKean are to be then and there to prosecute them as shall be just.

Dated at Smethport [illegible] the 111th year of the Independence of the United States of America.

A F BANNON Sheriff

List of Grand Jurors.

Drawn Aug 31 1887 for a Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be holden at Smethport McKean county the 1st Monday of October A D 1887

[illegible]
Bu[illegible]—Bradford City
Beckwith, Timothy—Bradford Township
Blackman G F—Port Allegany
Brown John—Annin
Curtin Timothy—Annin
Catlin R F—Duke Centre
Curtis W H—Keating
Carpenter W—Otto State [illegible]
Cole J F—Bradford City
Canfield C M—Eldred Township
Delaney W P—Kendall
Downs Thomas—Bradford City
Emery W H—Bradford Township
Griffin M M—Liberty
Hazen, C A—Liberty
Hurd, J C—Foster
Lacy W K—Bradford City
Lane P S—Bradford City
McMurray S W—Foster
McDavitt Pat—Hamlin
Nichols Geo—Annin
Phillips M G—Lafayette Alton
Wright Henry—Keating

A F BANNON Sheriff
DAVAULT MARTIN } Jury Coms
M S SHELDON }
Attest JNO R CHADWICK Clerk
Smethport Pa Sept 12th 1887

List of Petit Jurors,

Drawn Aug 31 1887 for Court of Oyer and Terminer to be holden at Smethport the First Monday of Oct A D 1887

Austin J [illegible]—Ceres
A[illegible] John—Liberty [illegible]
Abbey S W—Smethport
Abbey George—Corydon Wolf Run
Argue R W—Foster Derrick
Beckwith J F—East Smethport
Barton Lewis—Otto Rew Road
Bunnel G F—Bradford City
Barber Frank F—Bradford City
Burger Peter—Kendall
Campbell C T—Liberty
Cleeland J W—Bradford City
Chambers Wm—Bradford City
Conover George—Foster Gilmore
Dunn R M—Foster Monroe Farm
Duncan W H—Bradford City
Daniel Xavier—Bradford City
Dickeson C W—Norwich
Eastman, Leander—Ceres
Ernest John—Bradford Township
Fellows Charles—Bradford City
Fl[illegible] J W—Bradford City
F[illegible] J D—Lafayette [illegible]
Fay Mike—Keating
Goodnough J R—Foster [illegible]
Gillespie J B—Foster [illegible] Farm
Greenman R J—Eldred Boro
G[illegible] A D—Hamlin [illegible]
Hewitt J—Otto Tram Hollow
Herrick F H—Ceres [illegible]
Hiller A M—Liberty [illegible]
Hawkins [illegible]—Eldred [illegible]
Irwin Jacob—[illegible]
Jones F E—Otto [illegible]
Keith M S—Bradford City
[illegible]—Smethport
McDonald W A—Duke Centre
M[illegible] Chester—Eldred Township
Newton A H—Keating
Nolan J M—Bradford City
Phillips David—Bradford City
Stanley R F—Bradford City
S[illegible] J F—Bradford Township
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A F BANNON Sheriff
DAVAULT MARTIN } Jury Coms
M S SHELDON }
Attest JNO R CHADWICK Clerk
Smethport Pa Sept [illegible] 1887

Notice of Incorporation.

NOTICE [illegible] Pleas of McKean county [illegible] under the Act of Assembly entitled "An Act to provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of certain Corporations" approved April 29 1874 and the supplements thereto by H A [illegible] M F [illegible] and Charles [illegible] for the charter of an intended corporation to be called [illegible]. The character and object of [illegible] for the purpose of [illegible] and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

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LOCAL AND HUMOROUS.

The corn husking season is close at

The Bradford Era has abolished plate

A heavy frost visited this section last night.

The Potter county court has been in this week.

Quite a number from this place took Cuba fair last week.

The toothsome chestnuts have made appearance in this market.

Logs are being trucked to Wetenhall's mill, on Mechanic street.

The stove dealers are beginning to for fall and winter smiles.

The East Smethport fat boy was on exhibition at the Cuba fair last week.

Rev. C. H. Mitchelmore expects to be one month on his western trip.

Herzog's cider mill is now grinding the juice of the fruit for the millions.

The Potter county fair begins next Tuesday and will continue three days.

The corner stone of the Lutheran at Coudersport, was laid on Sun

We have been favored during the week with some lovely autumn

It cost the tax payers of Olean $26,- a year to run the public schools of place.

& Sasse have just put down platform in front of their furniture in this place.

Jefferson will produce his great "Rip Van Winkle," in Bradford Monday evening.

All old maids will be pleased to know, turn will come next year, will be leap year.

Smethport will send quite a good delegation to the National G. A. R. Encampment at St. Louis.

One hundred and thirty-seven per were naturalized at the recent term Tioga county court.

An Assembly of Knights of Labor instituted at Ceres last week, with charter members.

Potatoes will be one of the commodi which will command a fabulous price the robins nest again.

Last Monday was the Hebrew New and according to their reckoning the year of the world 5648.

Five car load of excursionists from and intermediate points visited famous Kinzua viaduct on Sunday

The Cameron County Teachers' Institute will be held in Driftwood, commencing on October 17 and lasting five days.

F. R. Morgan and Miss Anna Bol both of Kane, were married at N. Y., on Thursday of last week.

Peanut John is making the rounds of county fairs just now. John's motto do the greatest good to the greatest number.

The tenth semi-annual Convention the McKean County Woman's Christian Temperance Union is in session at Bradford.

R. Arnold, Esq., of Port Allega has sold his celebrated trotting mare Wood to T. J. Middaugh, of Pa.

We understand that C. A. Burdick contemplates making quite extensive improvements this fall on his residence, on street.

Barnum will spread his acres of can in Bradford on Thursday next. Our Beckwith says that he will en to be there.

Rev. Wm. Bradley delivered an able discourse on Sunday even last, at the M. E. church, on the res of the body.

Poor Bradford has our sympathies. Uncle Tom's double aggregation of hounds and donkeys stopped off in city Tuesday night.

The barn of Charles Burgess, of Far Valley, was destroyed by fire on night of last week. There was insurance on the property.

A fine picture of Prof. G. Brown recently appointed Commissioner Fish and Fisheries, appears on the page of to-day's MINER.

D. Angell, of Bradford, is inter with other capitalists, in 450 square of land in Peru, which is supposed underlaid with petroleum.

Simmons, aged 22 years, died in Bradford last Sunday morning of blood poisoning. His remains were taken to N. Y., for interment.

Our merchants had an immense stock grapes on hand last Saturday. The was selling at four cents a pound, many there were who ate thereof.

The Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Railroad will sell excursion tickets from Bradford to St. Louis and return on account of the National G. A. R. Encampment for $16.35.

—A bountiful chestnut crop is looked for this fall.

—The roads are in splendid condition in this section.

—S. J. Gifford's mill is undergoing extensive repairs.

—It has been very smoky in this section during the past week.

—The merry wedding bells have begun to ring in this borough.

—An excursion from Warren will visit the Kinzua bridge next Sunday.

—The Tioga county fair has been holding forth at Wellsboro this week.

—Five teachers are now engaged in school work at our Graded School.

—Four car load of excursionists from this place visited Bradford Tuesday.

—Regular term of criminal court commences one week from next Monday.

—There will be no services at St. Luke's church next Sunday, Sept. 25th.

—Olmstead & Beman are painting J. W. Bouton's new residence on King street.

—Richmond Hose No. 2, will hold a fair and dance at the rink during Institute week.

—Rubin's store was closed on Monday and Tuesday in honor of the Hebrew New Year.

—Eighteen of the forty traverse jurors for the second Monday of October come from Bradford.

—Trixie at the Opera House, Saturday evening. If you want to enjoy a good laugh don't fail to go.

—Mrs. Wm. Stockin, late a resident of Custer City, died in Bradford on Tuesday morning last of malarial fever.

—The two-year-old son of Peter Pearson, of this borough, died on Monday morning last of spinal meningitis.

Smethport is just now furnishing a good deal of talent in the line of newspaper correspondents to outside journals.

—There has been altogether too many drunks lying about on our streets during the past week to suit the average Smethportite.

—We will commence the publication next week of the illustrated serial, entitled "A Hard Bargain." It is one of Besant's best stories.

—John Rooney received an unusually heavy consignment of grapes on Tuesday last. It must be that he is going to make a corner in that fruit in this market.

—The Smethport Gas Co. should open the valve wider these cold mornings. It is pretty early in the season to have to begin to burn wood in order to get up heat.

—The death of E. L. Isham is announced, the event having occurred at his home at Grand Junction, Col., on the 8th inst. He was a former resident of Bradford.

—The 23d Annual State Sabbath School Convention, will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 11th, 12th and 13th, 1887, in Grace M. E. church, Harrisburg, Pa.

—The Democrats of this county will hold their primaries to-morrow (Saturday) night to choose delegates to the County Convention, which will be held on Tuesday next.

—Joel Hall, of Olean, and Geo. Mason, of this place, will start for Washington Territory on Monday next, on a hunting expedition. They will probably be absent about four months.

—Quite a good deal of drunkenness has been noticed on our streets during the past week. Evidently the hinges on the door of our borough lock-up are destined to rust out for want of use.

—It cost the taxpayers of Warren county $1,006.12 to run the last week of the recent term of court. The above sum being for jurors fees, constable service and stenographer's wages.

—We have no doubt that the host of friends of the Rev. C. H. Dodd in this vicinity will be glad of the opportunity of listening to that eloquent young divine at the Baptist church next Sunday.

—To-day we publish the concluding chapters of "All the World at War." Next week we begin the publication of another serial by the same author, entitled "A Hard Bargain." Don't fail to read it.

—The Ridgway Lumber Co. recently sold fifteen million feet of hemlock lumber to one firm in the east. This one sale will bring into Elk county over one hundred thousand dollars.—*Ridgway Advocate.*

—The headquarters of the train dispatchers of the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh railroad system has been established in Bradford. All trains on that road hereafter will be run on orders issued from that city.

—J. C. Hyde, the chief train dispatcher of the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburgh Railroad, whose headquarters will hereafter be at Bradford, is a son of S. C. Hyde, Esq., of Emporium, formerly Prothonotary of this county.

—The Bolivar *Leader* says: "Happy Jack is the largest G. A. R. man in the United States. His weight is 430 pounds. His ponderous form attracted quite a crowd in Potter county last week, where he was put on exhibition."

—Work was commenced this week on the new school house at Ormsby. Baker & Sons, the well-known contractors and builders of this borough, have the contract, which is a guarantee that the job will be done in a workmanlike manner.

—The Bradford police have tackled a difficult job in trying to rid that city of its rough element. They have a herculean task before them in driving out the pluguglies and soiled doves from their strongly entrenched positions in the oil metropolis.

—We are requested to give notice to the patrons of the Smethport Water Co. that the water will be turned off next week, for the purpose of cleaning out the reservoir. Users will do well to make a note of this fact and govern themselves accordingly.

—The L. Emery, Jr., band is a first-class organization. Their uniform is rich and attractive and they play *music*, real genuine music, scoring many favorable points in artistic rendition and musical virtuosity (to be continued).—*Friendship Register.*

—Banks' Minstrels gave an entertainment to a good sized audience at the Opera House on Friday evening last. E. A. McHugh and the Shelvey Bros. were first-class artists in their line and elicited much applause. The balance of the show was rather tame.

—Staples & Dale on Tuesday shipped a car load of clothes pins to Germany. There were 1,000 boxes in the car, and as each box contained 720 pins, the total number of pins in the car were 720,000, all of which were made since Thursday last.—*Kane Leader.*

—Probably the most rickety piece of railroad track in the United States, is that of the B., B. & K. road leading from this borough to East Smethport. How a locomotive can pass over that strip of road and keep the rails is a puzzler for the average run of mankind.

—The Wellsboro *Advocate* of last week published an item from the Emporium *Press* and credited it to the MINER, saying that "Hon. M. F. Elliott, of Wellsboro, is here with his first case in our courts." Mr. Elliott has for a long time had a very lucrative practice in the courts of McKean county.

—We understand that Coudersport base ball men are anxious to cross bats with Smethport, and would eagerly accept a challenge from the latter. If the McKean athletes are anything like they used to be when we lived over there, the leek heels will not have long to wait.—*Coudersport Workman.*

—The Smethport MINER claims for that town and vicinity a larger number of big women than any other community in Northern Pennsylvania. He's welcome to the glory—we ain't "stuck" on large women anyhow.—*Ridgway Advocate.* Probably brother Baker has just been reading the fable of the fox and the grapes.

—The MINER force are under special obligations to Tim Kinney, of Kasson, and Simon Martin, of Farmers' Valley, for a quantity of delicious fall apples. This fruit demonstrates the fact that the valleys of Potato and Marvin creeks will produce just as good apples as any section of country if the orchards are properly cared for.

—The Smethport School Board have filled the vacancy of principal in our Graded School by the selection Heister A. Bowers, of Bowers Station, Berks Co., for that position. Mr. Bowers is a college graduate, who has had several years' experience as principal of schools, and comes to us backed by the highest recommends as to his efficiency as a teacher.

—Two Indian clubs from the Cattaraugus Reservation will play a game of lacrosse on the Bradford base ball ground on Thursday of next week. Those who have never seen Indians play this exciting and interesting game should embrace this opportunity to do so. They will see more fun than forty spans of turtles can draw.

—Our genial friend Tom Harrington, editor of the Coudersport *Workman*, must be a hustler. Besides writing editorials on the labor question he finds time every now and then to put his superior dramatic talent to good use for the edification of his fellow men. Tom is perfectly at home either in the editorial chair or before the foot-lights.

—All well-wishers of the Smethport Cornet Band will be delighted to know that the members of that organization have reorganized, and will soon be in ship-shape again. It is now hoped that our citizens will do everything in their power to encourage the boys in their laudable undertaking. Smethport is too large a town to be without a band.

—A few ears of yellow corn, grown this year on the farm of Tim Kinney, Marvin creek, can be seen in the MINER office. Finer specimens were never grown in any country, and they simply show the possibilities of McKean county for grain raising. As fine a quality of corn and wheat can be produced in this county as anywhere in the Eastern States.

—The Port Allegany fair will occur on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Oct. 5th, 6th and 7th. Every farmer in the county should endeavor to have an exhibit of some kind at the county fair, as by so doing they will not only be doing their share toward making a success of it, but they will help stimulate the agricultural interests of McKean county. Will you do it?

—The Friendship *Register* of last week has this to say of our Hose Company: "The Smethport Hose Company was marshaled by foreman Sheridan Gorton, and had out more men than any other company. It is an excellent company, composed of solid, well-built and remarkably well-drilled men. While it is not a 'dude' company by any means, it is at the same time a decidedly tony organization."

—The other evening a gang of young boys found great sport in pelting two poor inebriates with rotten peaches while they were making their way down Main street at a very unsteady gait. Such action on the part of any boy should subject him to a good horse-whipping, whoever he may be. A boy who has been properly brought up at home, however, does not usually engage in such low business.

—It is with pleasure that we call the attention of our readers to the communication of A. B. Rowley, the well-known and reliable exclusive boot and shoe dealer, of Eldred, which may be found in another column of to-day's paper. Mr. Rowley is offering some astonishing bargains in his line of goods, and we can assure all who patronize him that they will secure low prices and good goods every time.

—John Sommerville, an employe of the Forest Oil Co., at Duke Centre, was found dead, on the 11th inst., on the lease he pumped. His body was found lying across a gas line, the face in close proximity to a leak in the pipe, from which the gas was escaping. The Coroner's jury returned a verdict to the effect that the unfortunate man came to his death from asphyxia. The deceased leaves a wife and one child to mourn their loss.

—We have received the first number of the *Austin Autograph*, published by A. J. Hughes at Austin, Potter county, with H. D. Caskey, late of the Ceres *Courant*, as local editor. This new journal is the same size of the *Reporter*—a four page, 28 column paper—and from the number before us we are led to believe that it will fully represent the business interests of Austin in particular and Potter county in general. In politics it will be Democratic. Success to the new enterprise.

—The thirteenth annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Pennsylvania will be held October 12, 13 and 14, 1887, in Lewisburgh, Union county. Miss Frances E. Willard, President of the National W. C. T. U., will be present and make an address on Social Purity. The number of Unions has greatly increased during the past year, there being now over one thousand in the State, and this is expected to be the largest and most important meeting ever held.

—Livery stable keepers are afforded a protection by the act of March 22, 1887, they did not before enjoy. Any person hiring or loaning any property of a livery stable keeper, who shall willfully or negligently damage or destroy the same, is declared guilty of a misdemeanor. The penalty imposed is a fine not exceeding $100 or imprisonment not exceeding 30 days, or both. The offender is also liable for the value of the property in an action of debt before a Justice of the Peace or the Court of Common Pleas.

—In February, 1882, David F. Winter boarded an Erie train at Olean. He had a ticket to his destination, but had stopped off at Olean, presumably without a stop-over check. The conductor refused to accept his ticket and he was ejected from the train. He sued the company, and last June secured a verdict for $10,000. The defendant appealed to the U. S. District Court for a new trial. In Boston last Saturday, Judge Nelson denied the motion, and Winter gets rather a large sum for a little inconvenience.—*Cuba Patriot.*

—Jessie Bonstelle, one of the most versatile of all singing, dancing and dramatic stars, will make her first appearance in this place at the Opera House to-morrow (Saturday) evening in the great comedy success, "Trixie," the Romp Heiress, revised and re-constructed into five charming acts. The Buffalo *Express* has this to say of this talented young lady: "She is a genius and her play fits like a lady's glove. It is full of clean, genuine humor, bright wit and comical situations." Reserved seats are now on sale at A. B. Armstrong's.

—The following timely hint will be of interest to ladies: The rubber rings by the use of which fruit cans are made air-tight, after being used, become hard and unyielding, so much so that fruit seldom keeps as well when they are used the second time. Though new ones cost but little, it is not always convenient to get them. Every one should know that the elasticity of the old ones can be restored, and that they can be made as good as new by soaking them a half hour in a mixture of ammonia and water—two-thirds ammonia and one-third water. Try it.

—The Bradford *Star* is having a hand-to-hand contest with the Printer's Union of that city. The Union has issued its mandate that the *Star* shall use no plates in its make-up. This is assuming authority which it is hardly possible the Union can maintain. Mr. Barbour has always paid good wages, uniformly has a good understanding with his employes and they leave his service at the dictation of the Union with great reluctance. As well might the carpenter refuse to use the planing machine or the farmer the reaper, as the Union to prevent the use of plates when newspapers are being sold at present prices.

—Evidently A. E. Stickles, one of Keating township's most successful farmers, will bear watching at the coming county fair or else he will bankrupt the treasury of that concern by his heavy drafts on the premium moneys. We saw lying in front of the postoffice this week a Mammoth yellow squash, grown on the farm of the above named gentleman, which knocks the spots off from anything in that line of fruit that has come under our observation this year. This squash fully sustains its name of Mammoth, as it measures in circumference six feet and a half, and weighs 112 pounds. There is enough pie timber in that one squash to feed a whole brigade of soldiers.

—As the dancing season is at hand it is well enough for dancers to know that at a convention of dancing masters just closed in New York city some grave questions were disposed of. One was as to the position to be taken by ladies and gentlemen in waltzing. It was decided to instruct as follows: The gentleman places his right arm around the lady's waist and his right against her back. The lady's hand will rest against the gentleman's shoulder, the fingers closed and curved and the tips resting on the right shoulder. The lady's right hand should be closed and placed in the left palm of the gentleman, with the knuckles uppermost, instead of down as heretofore. This is done to protect the lady's hands from accident when colliding with doors and furniture. In all cases gloves are to be worn.

—The local weather prophets tell us that the annual equinoctial storm commenced on Wednesday night.

—Baker & Sons shipped three car loads of dressed lumber this week from their planing mill in this borough.

—It is said that honey will be high this year. The three leading honey-producing States, Illinois, Wisconsin and Michigan, have absolutely none at all.

—The sociable announced for this (Friday) evening at the Baptist church, has been postponed until next Friday evening, September 30.

—The slim attendance of the people of Smethport at the sociable given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church at the residence of W. J. Colegrove, Esq., on King street, Wednesday evening of this week, was simply discreditable to the town.

The Supreme Court has just handed down its first decision under the act of 1881, which provides that no physician can practice in a county without first registering therein. This decision is of great importance to medical men, as the act was passed owing to the efforts of the recognized schools of medicine to prevent the growing evil of traveling quacks. In the case passed upon, Dr. John Ege was found guilty of practicing in Lebanon county without being registered therein. Dr. Ege was raised in Reading, Berks county, where he was registered, but would occasionally go to Lebanon county, where he would rent an office for a short period and receive patients.

PERSONAL MENTION

We would deem it a favor if those having friends visiting in this place would notify us by postal or by leaving a notice at this office.

H. W. Georgia, Esq., spent Sunday in Olean.

Mrs. S. R. Lindsley is visiting Driftwood friends.

B. C. Gallup, of Port Allegany, was in town last Sunday.

Miss Sadie Knapp is visiting Bradford friends this week.

Dr. E. G. Brown visited Buffalo the forepart of the week.

John R. Chadwick, Esq., visited Bradford on Tuesday last.

J. W. Bouton, Esq., wife and son were in Bradford Tuesday.

Mrs. Wilson of Angelica, is the guest of Mrs. D. C. Young this week.

A. N. Lillibridge, Esq., of Port Allegany, was in town on Saturday last.

County Treasurer Shoemaker took in the G. A. R. parade at Bradford, Tuesday.

F. F. Richmond has been confined to his bed by illness during the past week.

John King, of Sanford, Fla., spent last Sunday with his many Smethport friends.

Mrs. T. D. Nash is in New York this week purchasing her fall and winter stock of goods.

Hon. A. G. Apple of Meadville is visiting his brother Jno. N. Apple Esq., for a short time.

Dr. Berg Chadwick has been running Callar's drug store during the absence of its proprietor.

Miss Sadie Conley of Bradford, was visiting her parents in this place the forepart of the week.

Roswell Sartwell, Esq., was one of the Smethport delegation who visited Bradford on Tuesday.

Miss Page, of Olean, was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Bloodsworth in East Smethport, over Sunday.

Miss Eva Callar of Randolph, N. Y., is visiting her friend, Miss Addie Brownell, in this borough.

James Maguire and family returned home on Sunday last from a visit to relatives in Potter county.

Mr. James Moses and family, late of Warsaw, N. Y., are now at Mr. Moses' parents on King street.

Mrs. O. R. Terry and son Lucian, of Meadville, are visiting Mrs. Terry's sister, Mrs. J. B. Sprague, on Green street.

Mrs. L. T. Medbury of Smethport, was the guest of Deacon Corwin and family over Sunday.—*Frendship Register.*

Murray B. Greer and F. O. Richmond went to Buffalo to accompany the remains of the late J. F. McClure to this place.

W. L. Alexander, one of Randolph's popular druggists was renewing old acquaintances in town on Friday and Saturday last.

Mrs. James A. Briggs left one day last week for Canisteo and Pen Yan, where she will visit her sister and other relatives a few weeks.

Dr. T. H. Carroll spent last week at his home near Bush hill. He was compelled to leave his business by an attack of Pneumonia.

Mrs. A. T. Palmer left on Tuesday afternoon last for Windham county, Conn., to visit her mother who is lying seriously ill at her home there.

We are pleased to announce that P. D. Hopkins, who has been on the sick list for the past two or three weeks, is gradually gaining in strength.

Mr. Hugh Braisted, who has been staying at Rev. C. H. Mitchelmore's for some time past, has gone to Chicago where he is attending a medical college.

Dr. S. J. Wells spent a few days during the past week in attending the Pennsylvania Medical Association in Philadelphia. That city was pretty well Philled up.

Hon. R. H. Rose was present at the Constitutional Centennial festivities in Philadelphia last week. He reports it as being one the grandest affairs of the age.

Mrs. Wm. Hicks, of Williamsport, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Georgia, in this place, for the past three weeks, departed for her home yesterday.

B. B. Robinson, better known as "Manager," who formerly clerked in E. B. McCoy's drug store was in town Tuesday and Wednesday. He is at present in business in Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Gallup started on their wedding trip, which will include Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Toronto and other points of interest, on Tuesday last. The best wishes of a host of friends will follow this worthy couple on their journey.

W. P. Eckels and family left yesterday for a two-weeks' visit to relatives in Mercer county, after which they will take up their residence in Smethport. While we regret their removal from Kane, we express the hope that they will find pleasure in their new home.—*Kane Leader*

Miss May Saunders who has been visiting her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Colegrove for some months past, left on Friday last for Coudersport, where she will visit her aunt, Mrs. L. C. Ross, for some time to come. The loss of Miss Saunders voice is seriously felt in the M. E. Church choir.

OBITUARY.

It is with pain that we chronicle this week the death of John F. McClure, at the home of his parents in Buffalo, on Tuesday last, of enlargement of the heart, aged 39 years. For something like thirteen years past Mr. McClure has been connected with the business of the Clermont branch of the B., N. Y. & P. railroad, and for the past five years has been Assistant Superintendent of that branch, and a resident of this place. He was one of the most competent and obliging railroad officials in the country, and a more affable, genial gentleman never lived. It would be difficult to remove from the business and social circles of this place a man more universally and highly esteemed than "Jack" McClure. It will not be an easy matter for the railroad company to fill his place. He leaves a loving and devoted wife to mourn his taking away. She has the earnest sympathy of this entire community. The funeral will be held at the P. E. church in this place to-day (Friday) at 3 p. m., and at the request of Mr. McClure, made some time ago, he will be buried in Rose Hill Cemetery. The following gentlemen will act as pall-bearers at the request of Mrs. McClure: M. L. Armstrong, M. B. Greer, A. D. Nichols, H. L. McCoy, J. N. Apple, F. O. Richmond and W. P. Walsh.

Large Sales.

Dusenbury Bros. & Truesdell, 113 Union street, Olean, are having an enormous sale of dress goods at extremely low prices. Twenty-five thousand dollars in silks and velvets, wool dress goods, Paris robes, ladies' cloth, Amazon cloth, plaids, rich pattern suits, braids and trimmings to combine. In the lot they offer one hundred pieces of all wool dress goods 38 and 40 inch; great variety of styles at 50 cents per yard, real value 65 and 75 cents. Samples sent on application.

GOV. JAMES A. BEAVER.

McKean's Veterans.

Late last winter, at the instance of comrades Dempsey, Sherman and others of Post 141, of Bradford, a few of the comrades of the several Posts of the county met and agreed to organize a County Association, for the purpose of having the veterans of the county get together at least once a year and by this means become more thoroughly acquainted with each other. Another meeting was agreed upon to be held in Eldred June 29th at which each Post was requested to send three delegates for the purpose of perfecting an organization. The meeting was held and every Post in the county was represented. At that meeting it was agreed that the first annual re-union should be held in Bradford on Tuesday, the 20th day of September. Officers of the Association were chosen, E. R. Sherman, of Kendall, being elected President, H. M. Choate, of Smethport, Secretary and J. E. Baldwin, of Duke Centre, Treasurer. The first re-union was held in Bradford on Tuesday of this week, and no old soldier who participated will forget the day as long as he lives. It was a grand outpouring of the veterans of McKean county and they were most hospitably received and entertained by the comrades of Post 141 and the ladies of Bradford Relief Corps No. 13. The parade was very fine and the camp-fire in the evening was exceedingly enjoyable. It would take columns of the MINER to give a detailed report of this agreeable occasion, and as we have not the space to give to it we will not attempt it.

The McKean county Association of the G. A. R. is now one of the live institutions of the county, and it has come to stay. The reunions will grow in interest as they grow in age, and if they accomplish no more than to bring into the Posts throughout the county the old soldiers who are still outside the fold, they will be doing a great work.

At a meeting of the delegates in the G. A. R. hall in the afternoon, it was decided to hold the next semi-annual business meeting in Smethport, and the annual reunion in Eldred, the dates to be fixed by the Executive Committee. The Eldred comrades promise to do the "big thing," and they are proverbial for honoring the drafts made on them.

IF in need of doors, windows, dressed lumber, window and door frames, mouldings, &c., go to John Baker & Sons, Water street, Smethport, Pa.

McKean County Fair.

The following is the programme of seventh annual fair and races, to be held on the grounds of the McKean Agricultural Society, at Port Allegany, Pa., Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, October 5, 6 and 7.

First day—Wednesday, October 5th.—The first day the grounds will be open free to exhibitions and visitors.

Second day—Thursday, October 6th.—Cattle will be shown in exhibition ring 10 a. m. At 1 o'clock exhibition of single and matched carriage horses. At 1:30 o'clock trotting; three minute class, purse $100.00; $50.00 to first $25.00 to second, $15.00 to third, $10.00 to fourth. At 3 o'clock game of base ball, Bradford vs. Olean.

Third day—Friday, October 7th.—At 10 a. m., exhibition of horses in ring; at 10:30 o'clock Farmers race; at 11 o'clock pulling match. In the afternoon horses will be called at 1:30 and trotting will commence at 2 o'clock.

No. 1—Trotting or pacing. Gentleman's road race, for horses owned in McKean and Potter counties, that have never started in a race other than this kind; owners to drive. Purse $75.00; $37.50 to first, $18.75 to second, $11.25 to third, $7.50 to fourth.

No. 2—2:40 class. Purse $150.00; $75.00 to first, $50.00 to second, $25.00 to third, $15.00 to fourth.

No. 4—Running race. Purse $100.00; $50.00 to first, $25.00 to second, $15.00 to third, $10.00 to fourth.

A Challenge from Lock Haven.

Several items have appeared in the MINER in regard to sunflowers with from 50 to 70 heads on, and cucumbers less than a rod long, and millet from six to seven feet in height, with heads near a foot long which all are unusually prolific in bearing. But Joseph Ellert, of Lock Haven, Clinton Co., believes he can beat them all. He has in his garden sunflowers from 12 to 14 feet in height with 40 to 50 heads on. Also the white cucumber, of which the vines run over the tops of those sunflowers and on the roof of the house, bearing cucumbers on the top of the sunflowers and on the roof of the house weighing from eight ounces to two pounds. Also pole beans that have run to the top of the poles 10 feet in height and wound around the top of the pole to the size of a half bushel basket, and then struck off to some peach trees near by some 20 feet in height. The vines are hanging full of beans, and the pods are from six to eight inches long. Both beans and cucumbers are very nice for the table. The said Joseph Ellert is the father of Mrs. Joseph Housler. Many can testify to the truth of the above, which is on exhibition in this city at No. 48 Bald Eagle street. Some of the same will be exhibited in St. Luke's Reformed church next Sunday for the harvest home services.

REPORTER.

Lock Haven, Sep. 15.

W. C. T. U.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union, of Smethport, held their annual meeting last Friday and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. Henry Hamlin.
General Vice Pres.—Mrs. D. Sterrett.
Vice Presidents of Churches—Mrs. Wm. J. Colgrove, Mrs. B. F. Wright, Mrs. W. D. Gallup.
Cor. Sec'y—Mrs. F. Chadwick.
Rec. Sec'y—Mrs. F. O. Richmond.
Treas.—Mrs. J. G. Strong.

Delegates were chosen to the coming convention as follows: Mrs. M. E. Richmond, Mrs. F. Chadwick. Alternates—Mrs. G. W. Williams, Mrs. W. D. Gallup.

Lost.

About the 20th of July last, between Eldred and Turtle Point, the subscriber lost a black side pocket-book, containing one note of five hundred dollars against S. E. Cooper, a note of twenty-five dollars against Chas. Mix, a of lot receipts, a one dollar bill and some other papers of not much account. Whoever will return the same to the MINER office at Smethport, Pa., or to the subscriber at Turtle Point, will be liberally rewarded.

W. H. TAYLOR.

Turtle Point, Sept. 19, 1887. 3t.

Notice.

It has been very difficult for ladies and gentlemen to procure shoes and boots made to order that would give satisfaction. To those I would announce that after long search I have made satisfactory arrangements with a first-class shoemaker. All work guaranteed. Cobling done on short notice. I have now in stock my fall goods, Ladies Rubbers 25 cents per pair, Men's Rubber Boots, $2.00 per pair, and all other goods at same low figures. Call at the only exclusive Boot and Shoe Store in Eldred, and save twenty five per cent. on investments.

A. B. ROWLEY,
37m3. Main street, Eldred, Pa.

MARRIED.

GALLUP—BRENNAN—At the residence of the bride's parents in this borough on Tuesday, Sept. 20th, 1887, by Rev. W. Bradley, Mr. Murton J. Gallup, of Mt. Jewett, and Miss Alma J. Brennan, of Smethport.

Sheep for Sale.

I will sell a few of my Southdown sheep or lambs at reasonable prices. Apply soon.

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Five Hundred Ladies

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What a conductor's wife says Dr. Carey's Great Female Friend, Dr. Carey's Prickly-Ash and Sarsaparilla, and Dr. Carey's Kidney Cure has done for her:

Mrs. John Rich, No. 2 Cottage Ave., Hornellsville, N. Y., says she has been treated by several of our best physicians and they all said they had done all they could for her, and she supposed she would always be sick and no hopes of recovery, until she was persuaded by one of Dr. Carey's agents to try his Great Female Friend and other remedies, and now she is cured.

HORNELLSVILLE, N. Y., July 17, 1887.

Dr. Carey & Son: I have been a great sufferer for more than five years, with female trouble. I doctored with four of our ablest physicians and received no benefit. Over a year ago I purchased of your agent, Mrs. C. H. Stubbs, your great Blood and Liver Remedy, and best of all, your Female Friend and Kidney Remedy, and I can say to-day, words cannot express the benefit I have received. I feel very grateful that I ever learned of these remedies.

No. 16 E. Main st. MRS. F. L. RIGBY.

HILLS, Potter Co., Pa., July 10, 1887.

Dr. Carey & Son,—Gentlemen: For two or three years I have been dragging around with some trouble that most of the ladies are afflicted with—ulceration, falling and derangement, etc., ovarian troubles, constipation, and liver and kidney troubles. I heard of so many that had been cured in our vicinity, I was determined to try once more to see I could get some relief. I had been treated by several of our best doctors but I constantly got worse until I could hardly get up and down. I procured a full prescription—one bottle of Female Friend, one bottle of Sarsaparilla and one bottle of Kidney Cure—and used it according to your directions, and before I had used five dollars worth half up I found myself better. I have used your remedies for six months and am now as well as ever. I can truly say your remedies have cured me, and my desire is for all ladies to try this remedy and follow directions and I know you can cure them. Hoping every lady that is suffering as I did, may, and will try it, and be cured, is my wish; and hope that you, Dr. Carey, may be able to let every suffering lady know of this great Female Friend and Blood and Liver Remedy, I remain yours.

MRS. N. D. MONROE.

PHILLIPSBURG, Center Co., Pa.

Dr. Carey & Son,—Gentlemen: I have been so wonderfully benefitted by your Female Friend and your Prickly-Ash and Tag Alder Blood and Liver Remedy for kidney and liver complaints and malaria, that I feel like recommending them to the suffering world; and my husband, Mr. Cole, who has suffered so long from rheumatism, has received untold benefits, and we both feel so very thankful. You will doubtless remember calling at our house at Ansonia, Tioga county, Pa., where your medicines are sold by Mr. Thompson. We have now moved back to Phillipsburg, Centre county, Pa., near our former home. We are well known here, and every one in this vicinity knows how long we have been afflicted and how much we have tried to get help. Almost every physician in this large town has tried to help us, but all their skill was in vain. As I said before, your remedies have done wonderful things for us. I do not send this as a testimonial, as I can do better than this; but I wish to know if you will let me have the agency here for your remedies? I am satisfied that I can sell any amount of it. Please answer and give me your terms to agents, and oblige. MRS. SARAH J. COLE.

COUDERSPORT, Potter County, Pa.

Dr. Carey & Son—Gentlemen: For three years I have been confined to my house. I have been treated by the best physicians in this section but they could only relieve me for the time being. Your agent called on me and tried to induce me to use your medicines, but at that time I could not be convinced that any other doctor could benefit me if my own could not. I grew worse and thought I must die if I did not get help, so I procured your great Female Friend and began using it for my female trouble and it has proved a friend in need. I also used your Prickly-Ash and Tag Alder Blood and Liver Remedy, Kidney Cure and Dyspepsia Cure. I was helped from the very first and your remedies did it. I am so thankful that the means were placed within my reach that I could be so completely cured. No pen can describe the awful condition in which I was in, and people would hardly believe me if I told them unless they knew of my case personally. I have told all of my friends of the wonderful cure it has made for me, and I know and am constantly hearing of many in this vicinity who have been wonderfully benefitted. I most sincerely advise every suffering lady to procure and use your Female Friend and other remedies. Yours very truly,

MRS. L. REESE.

COLESBURG, Potter County, Pa.

Dr. Carey & Son—Gentlemen: I cannot say too much in praise of your Great Female Friend and Prickly-Ash and Tag Alder Blood and Liver Purifier. For five years I have been confined to my bed with Falling, Ulceration and Ovarian troubles. I have been treated by nine different doctors and they could not get me so I could walk. I supposed I would never get well again, but I am happily disappointed. My neighbors persuaded me to send and get your remedies, as they had heard of so many cures they had made. I commenced using them as directed, and thank God, and the means, they have helped me so much in eight weeks that I can walk all over the house and help get dinner and make myself useful in many ways. I am thankful to you for this great change. I cannot spread it half as much as I would like, but any one that wishes to have me make a statement, how long I suffered and how I was cured, let [illegible] keep on in the work of curing suffering humanity, I remain, yours truly,

MRS. HARRIS PEET.

September 1, 1887.

Dr. Carey's medicines are sold at the drug store of E. B. McCoy and by other druggists in the county.

Executrix Notice.

LETTERS testamentary upon the estate of George M. Corwin, deceased having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

ADDA L. CORWIN, Executrix.

Or Morrison & Apple, her Attorneys.

Smethport, Pa., Aug. 30, 1887.

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Loss of Hand and Foot	5000	3000	2000	1500	1250	1000	750	250
" " Both Hands	5000	3000	2000	1500	1250	1000	750	250
" " " Feet	5000	3000	2000	1500	1250	1000	750	250
" " One Hand	2500	1500	1000	750	625	500	375	125
" " " Foot	2500	1500	1000	750	625	500	375	125
" " Both Eyes	2500	1500	1000	750	625	500	375	125
" " One Eye	650	300	200	175	150	125	75	66
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in the same squares will be sold for $250. The inside lots fronting on the same street, for $200. The lots facing Water street in outlots 17 and 18 will be sold for $200 each. There are

Eleven of These Lots Not Yet Sold

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Eight Corner Lots on King Street!

in squares 45, 46, 47 and 48 at $250 each, and

Eight Inside Lots

in the same square at $200 each. These lots are all 66 feet wide and 132 feet in length. The

Water Main

lies front of the Main street squares and only one square from the King and Water street lots. There are no properties in Smethport any better located for FIRE PROTECTION. Complete and perfect title is guaranteed. The subscriber also has a few lots on what is known as the McDonald property at the lower end of Main street which he will sell at low prices. Those who come first will have the first pick, and no such opportunity will ever again be presented to secure lots at such low rates.

L. ROGERS.

Smethport, Aug. 2d, 1887.

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Soreness, Swellings,

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A CHILD'S LIFE SAVED

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Agent of the Trustees

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ALL AROUND THE HOUSE.

An Agreeable Material for Amateurs to Paint Upon—A Convenient Table

[illegible] among the [illegible] for decorative purposes [illegible] may be made [illegible] to paint upon. The process [illegible] is simply ordinary oil paints [illegible] with turpentine, in the usual manner [illegible] The skin must be [illegible] before [illegible]

One [illegible] of them [illegible] or any similar [illegible] with [illegible] satin and [illegible] the [illegible]

A Delicious Banana Salad

[illegible] very [illegible] many people [illegible] delightful [illegible] banana [illegible] salad prepared [illegible] following directions, given by [illegible] slices lengthwise [illegible] as a dollar [illegible] the ends of the [illegible] a hol[illegible] Pour over them a gill of sherry [illegible] with sugar and into which you have [illegible] teaspoonful of lemon juice, [illegible] then fill the centre with [illegible] cream piled high.

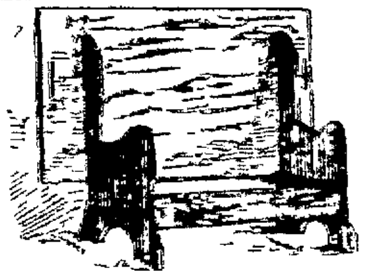
For those who object to wine, prepare the bananas as above and pour over them a dressing made as follows: A gill of [illegible] white syrup (sugar dissolved in as little water as possible), the juice of half a lemon and the yellow rind of two dark skinned oranges [illegible] in lumps of sugar, which must be [illegible] in the syrup. Fill the hollow center with diced orange.

Points in Putting Up Fruits.

The one great point in successfully preserving fruit is to put it up air tight. If self sealing cans with rubber rings are used it will pay to buy new rings each time. They cost but a few cents each. If the old fashioned way of covering with a cloth spread with sealing wax is practiced be sure that the wax is used very hot and the cloth tied down tight. When properly put on so that the jar is air tight the cloth will actually sink in a little toward the jar. If the new fashion of using a sheet of cotton batting as a cover is followed the batting must be tied very firmly. Housewives report good results with this, of late.

Useful Combination Table

In the cut is represented a useful combination table, especially adapted to kitchens and laundries where space is an object.



A SETTLE TABLE.

This properly speaking is an ingenious [illegible] which [illegible] takes up but little room and affords [illegible] comfortable seat. The [illegible] forms the top of the table which is of a [illegible] height for ironing. These tables are for sale at all leading stores where house furnishing goods are kept in stock. Housewives [illegible] can hardly buy a piece of furniture that will pay better than this.

Very Nice Sachet Powder

Probably no woman ever had more [illegible] than she could find use for. Dry perfumes [illegible] and convenient [illegible] for perfuming drawers [illegible] receptacles than are liquid perfumes. A formula that makes a very nice [illegible] powder is as follows: Three [illegible] powdered starch, one ounce powdered [illegible] three drops oil of patchouli [illegible] oil of [illegible] geranium, two drops [illegible] six [illegible] drops essence of bergamot.

Huckleberry Pudding

Put huckleberry pudding [illegible] the bottom of a well buttered pudding dish with a very thin crust [illegible] a little softer than for [illegible] [illegible] soaked with juice. Put in a pint or more of berries [illegible] sugar and [illegible] over them and cover with a thick [illegible] bake the pudding as [illegible] It may be served with butter and sugar rubbed to a cream and flavor [illegible]

How a Woman Saws

When a woman her home would decorate,
She [illegible] tacks, small or great;
But the fun [illegible]
Is when she [illegible] with a saw on a board.

[illegible] plank on a chair
[illegible] saw with a knee [illegible] air
[illegible]

[illegible]

She has damaged the chair she has ruined the saw
Her back is all aching her hands [illegible] raw
[illegible]
[illegible] short of the [illegible]

A Pretty Use for Tea Chest Matting

An article that is both useful and decorative may be made of flexible straw matting [illegible] tea chests. Take a piece thirty six inches long and eighteen inches wide, turn up one end and fasten it with ribbon bows leaving eighteen inches of the matting above as a back. Paint the turned up part with a pretty floral design and the word [illegible] Hang with ribbons and use to hold papers.

Useful Suggestions.

Beef suet, salted, is as good as lard for frying.

The [illegible] fowls and joints into shape before cooking.

The grid iron should be well greased and hot before placing meat on it.

Canton flannel makes an excellent dusting [illegible] highly polished furniture.

Wash gilding with warm water in which [illegible] has been boiled and dry with a soft cloth.

[illegible] by rubbing, make pretty hold[illegible] for whisk brooms.

Antidote for Paris Green.

Paris green is in such extended use as an insecticide that people very naturally desire to know of an antidote for its deadly action in case of accidental poisoning. Popular Science News names, as the proper antidote, freshly prepared ferric hydrate. But this would not be generally available, and the same authority adds: The common medicinal dialyzed iron may also be used, and has the advantage of being always ready. Of course the main dependence in case of poisoning must be upon the prompt emptying of the stomach by emetics or the stomach pump.

Useful and Hurtful Medicines.

There is a certain class of remedies for constipation absolutely useless. These are boluses and potions made in great part of podophyllin, aloes, rhubarb gamboge and other worthless ingredients. The damage they do to the stomachs of those who use them is incalculable. They evacuate the bowels, it is true, but always do so violently and profusely and besides, gripe the bowels. Their effect is to weaken both them and the stomach. Better far to use the agreeable and salutary aperient Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the laxative effect of which is never preceded by pain or accompanied by a convulsive, violent action of the bowels. On the contrary it invigorates those organs, the stomach and the entire system. As a means of curing and preventing malarial fevers, no medicine can compare with it and it remedies nervous debility, rheumatism, kidney and bladder inactivity and other inorganic ailments.

Itch and Scratches of every kind cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Use no other. This never fails. Sold by A. B. Armstrong, druggist, Smethport, Pa. vol21no21-y1

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PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE.

Curious Theories About the Iris of the Eye—Injuries from Baseball Playing

An English physician has advanced some very peculiar and interesting theories about the iris of the eye. While new to lay readers, they are said to be entertained, in part at least by a number of medical men. The iris or colored circle which surrounds the pupil of the eye is regarded as a sign of the state of the constitution. A red iris indicates a predisposition to cancerous affections. The nearer the iris approaches to a firm, clear looking and unmixed color—black blue or brown—the healthier and sounder is the constitution according to this authority. Furthermore whenever the iris presents the appearance of a broken net work or the color is light and watery looking, or deposited in darker patches in some places than in others, there is a corresponding deficiency of constitution. Whenever there is an appearance of red, green or yellow in the iris, the disease with which the patient suffers always exhibits an obstinate and malignant character especially when the red or green is present. So [illegible] that the children of parents with such [illegible] red blotches are usually unhealthy. Persons having a greenish iris occasionally boast of good health and power to support fatigue, but such persons are generally stunted in stature and where the reverse is the case they will be found to show signs of failing health soon after 30, if not before.

Baseball Players' Injuries.

Injuries of baseball players furnish the subject of an article in The Medical and Surgical Reporter, by Dr Leaf, who is himself a player, and speaks from personal experience. One of his fingers was injured by a ball five times in one week, and all of his fingers have been injured at least once. His treatment is to continue playing, and at every opportunity—either in the street, in the office or upon the field—to firmly grasp the finger about the middle and rub towards the tip. Under this treatment the swelling, stiffness and soreness diminish, and after some weeks are entirely gone. The most marked swelling of the hand, accompanied by great pain, can be best relieved by the application of water as hot as can be borne, the hand remaining in the water for an hour the temperature being maintained during the whole time. Nothing will do so much harm to a player as to abstain altogether from playing because he has some trivial injury or sore muscles.

The Population of Smethport

Is about 1500 and we would say at least one half are troubled with some affection of the throat and lungs, as those complaints are, according to statistics, more numerous than others. We would advise all not to neglect the opportunity to call on us and get a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. Price 50c and $1. Respectfully, E. B. McCoy, druggist, Smethport, Pa. eowly

Blood! Blood!

[illegible] Dana's [illegible] Blood [illegible] will keep you [illegible] E. B. McCoy [illegible]

Some Foolish People

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They [illegible] it will wear away but in most cases it wears them away. Could [illegible] to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam which [illegible] positive guarantee to cure [illegible] Trial size free. E. B. McCoy, druggist.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

A Great Surprise

Is in store for all who use Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, the great guaranteed remedy. Would you believe that it is sold on its merits and that each druggist is authorized to refund your money by the proprietor of this wonderful remedy if it fails to cure you. E. B. McCoy has secured the agency for it. Price 50c and $1. Trial size free. eowly

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Special attention given to cutting Ladies' Bangs in all the leading styles. Ladies can feel perfectly safe in calling at my shop as the strictest order is maintained.

Hair Tonic and Dandruff Cures for sale.

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An Electric night bell connected with sleeping room gives special facilities for night calls.

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The long established and favorably known Bergstresser House, corner of Franklin and Main streets Smethport, Pa. is offered for sale on terms which will be made satisfactory to the purchaser. It is a roomy three-story structure fitted up with all modern improvements and conveniences and is an opportunity which is not often met with. Anyone desiring to engage in the business of hotel keeping will consult his interest by addressing the proprietress,

MRS. M. E. BERGSTRESSER.

Smethport, Pa. April 1st 1886. tf

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Done with neatness and despatch

While soliciting a liberal share of the public patronage, my aim at all times will be to please my customers.

T. H. PURTLE

Smethport, Pa., May 12, 1887.-y1.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

By virtue of sundry writs of Fieri Facias, Levari Facias and Venditioni Exponas, Alias Fieri Facias, Pluries Fieri Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of McKean County, Pa., and to me directed, I will expose at public sale in the Court House in the borough of Smethport, on

MONDAY OCTOBER 3, 1887 AT 1 O'CLOCK P. M.

the following several pieces of property

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All the defendant's interest in the following piece, parcel or tract of land, lying and being in the township of Annin, county of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the northwest corner of John Brown No. 11[illegible] thence south one hundred and sixty-one perches to the southwest corner of No. [illegible] William Crowley, thence east eighty perches to a corner, thence [illegible] hundred and sixty-one perches to the [illegible] line of [illegible] Holcomb No. 111 [illegible] thence west seventy-nine perches to the place of beginning. Containing eighty and one tenth [illegible] acres and being lots Nos 120 and 215 on [illegible] warrants Nos [illegible] improved about fifty acres and having thereon erected one one and one half story board house with wing attached, one large board barn [illegible] hay barn and usual out buildings [illegible] running through [illegible] premises [illegible] and premises [illegible] orchard [illegible] trees.

Seized [illegible] property [illegible] Holcomb [illegible] use Byron D. Hamlin, Henry Hamlin [illegible] Forrest and others.

[illegible]

All the defendant's interest in the following piece, parcel or tract of land, situate in the township of Annin, county of McKean, State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post the northwest corner of land conveyed to William Crowley [illegible] thence north 24 perches to the northeast corner of lot No. 217, thence west 5 perches to the southeast corner of lot No. [illegible] thence north [illegible] perches to a beech corner of lot No. 313, thence north [illegible] perches to a post the north [illegible] east corner of same, thence east 4 perches to [illegible] the southeast corner [illegible] southwest corner of lot No. [illegible] perches to [illegible] [illegible] warrant No. [illegible]. Improved about three acres.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Richard K. Holcomb, Ira Peabody at the suit of use of William V. Keating, John M. Keating and J. Percy Keating.

John Forrest Pl'ff's Att'y.

All the defendant's interest [illegible] land situate in the township of Annin [illegible] of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post [illegible] southwest corner [illegible] No. 312, then east [illegible] perches to a beech [illegible] southeast corner of same, then south 33.8 perches to a post [illegible] thence west [illegible] perches to a post corner, thence north [illegible] perches to the place of beginning. Containing fifty and two-tenths (50 2-10) acres, being lot No. 41 on the maps of said township and part of warrant No. [illegible]. Improved about thirteen acres.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Richard K. Holcomb and William V. [illegible] use of William V. Keating, John M. Keating and J. Percy Keating.

John Forrest Pl'ff's Att'y.

Also—No. [illegible] All the defendant's interest in that certain piece or parcel of land situate in Foster township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, containing one hundred and thirty-one acres and bounded as follows: North by land of [illegible] Foster and others, east by the [illegible] Valley Creek [illegible] lands of A. W. [illegible] and others, west by lands of parties unknown, recorded in part by deed recorded in Deed Book [illegible] page [illegible] McKean county, [illegible] in part by contract from Keating estate [illegible] improvements [illegible] one and a half story frame dwelling house [illegible] one frame shed, frame barn [illegible] [illegible]

Also—No. [illegible] All that certain piece or parcel of land [illegible] bounded on the [illegible] by the Main street [illegible] through Derrick City east by the Hunt [illegible] Company's [illegible] lands and others, situate in [illegible] township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, containing [illegible] acres more or less. Improvements [illegible] one and a half story frame dwelling house [illegible] two story [illegible] frame [illegible] stable [illegible] frame blacksmith [illegible] boiler, engines [illegible] tanks, carpenter [illegible] and [illegible] the same belonging.

Also—No. [illegible] All the defendant's interest [illegible] parcel of land known as the [illegible] Coal [illegible] lands situate and being in Sergeant township, county of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, and described as follows, to-wit: bounded on the north by land of the Ridgway estate, and on the east by lands of Lawrence Bayer, south by lands of Buffalo Coal Company, Leroy Lyman and others, west by lands of Ridgway estate, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds in Smethport, McKean county, Pennsylvania, in Deed Book [illegible] pages [illegible] containing three hundred and [illegible] acres more or less. Improvements, ninety [illegible] acres [illegible] one frame school [illegible] one and a half story frame dwelling house, [illegible] two-story frame store building [illegible] frame barns, three [illegible] about one hundred acres improved.

Also—No. [illegible] All that certain piece or parcel of land known as the Peter Barnes, Joseph Barnes and John [illegible] farms situate and being in Sergeant township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, bounded as follows to-wit: bounded on all sides by lands of McKean and Elk Land and Improvement Company and recorded in Deed Book [illegible] pages [illegible] in the office of Recorder of Deeds in McKean county, containing three hundred and thirty acres, more or less. Improvements, one and a half story frame dwelling house, two frame barns [illegible] about [illegible] acres improved and well watered.

Also—No. [illegible] A twenty-one equitable interest in two hundred and seventy acres of coal lands situate and being in Sergeant township, county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, being subdivision lots No. 16, 17 and 18 of the [illegible] and surrounded by lands of the Buffalo Coal Company. Unimproved.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Alonzo I. Wilcox use A. R. Armstrong, committee of the person and estate of Sarah Williams now for use of W. D. Kelling, [illegible]

Sterrett & Rose Pl'ffs Att'ys.

T. A. Morrison Att'y for Trust.

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All the defendant's interest in all that certain piece or parcel or lot of land situate lying and being in the city of Bradford, county of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the north line of Main street at the southwest corner of the Exchange lot, thence west by the north line of Main street about twenty two and two twelfths (22 2-12) feet more or less to the south east corner of [illegible] store building, thence by a line parallel with Exchange lot north one hundred feet, thence by a line parallel with the north line of Main street about twenty two and two-twelfths (22 2-12) feet to the west line of Exchange lot, thence south by the west line of Exchange lot to place of beginning, and being the same premises as that conveyed to the said Moses Ruslander by A. [illegible] by deed dated Aug. 8th, 1882 and recorded in the Recorder's Office of McKean county, in Deed Book Volume [illegible] page 257 Aug. 9th, [illegible] And having thereon erected one two story frame store.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Moses Ruslander at the suit of Max Weil Assignee of Joseph Block.

Stone, Brown & Sturgeon Pl'ffs Att'ys.

[illegible]

All the defendant's interest in the following piece or parcel of land situate in Foster (formerly Bradford) township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post, the southeast corner of land conveyed to Corlis H. Foster, lot No. 11, thence south 30 perches to a post corner, thence west [illegible] perches to a post corner north 30 [illegible] west [illegible] perches to a post, the southwest corner of lot No. 11, thence east 10[illegible] perches to the place of beginning. Containing thirty-three acres and five-tenths of an acre, and being lot No. 31 of the Keating survey, and part of warrant No. 4[illegible]. Unimproved.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Truman S. Bennett use Byron D. Hamlin, Henry Hamlin and John Forrest.

John Forrest Pl'ffs Att'y.

All the defendant's interest in all that certain piece or lot of land situate and being in Bradford township, McKean county, and state of Pennsylvania, bounded viz: Beginning at a post and stones at the forks of the Corydon and Kinzua roads, thence north 30 degrees 30 minutes, east twenty-seven rods to a post and stones, thence south sixty six rods to a post thence west thirty-eight east 51 rods to the place of beginning. Containing ten acres and one [illegible] more or less, being northeast part of lot [illegible] and part of warrant 3[illegible] and same land formerly conveyed by J. R. Pomeroy and wife to Henry Thurston by deed dated July 29, 1875, and by said Thurston conveyed to D. H. Crooker by conveyance dated July 1, 1877, recorded in Recorder's Office of said county in Deed Book [illegible] page 302.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of M. C. Wilson at the suit of David Wright, Geo. Hauton doing business as D. Wright & Co.

Jack & Roberts Pl'ffs Att'ys.

[illegible]

All the defendant's interest in the following real estate situate in Liberty township, McKean county and state of Pennsylvania and bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at a post in the county line at the southeast corner of land of Arnold & Co., lot No. 302, thence south by county line 173 perches to a post, the northeast corner of land of O. D. Coleman, lot No. 316, thence west 82 perches to a post the northwest corner of the same, thence north 122 perches to a post the northwest corner of land of William Moore, thence west 91 perches to a post, the northwest corner of the same, thence north 51 perches to a post corner, thence east 173 perches to the place of beginning. Containing 120 acres of land and being a part of lot No. 3[illegible] of the Keating allotment of lands in said township and part of warrant No. 1[illegible]. Improvements: One, (1) one-and-a-half story board dwelling with shed addition in the rear, one (1) story board dwelling house, one shed barn. About three (3) acres improved and well watered.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of C. H. Merkt at the suit of Bradley Goodyear, Frank H. Goodyear.

Hamlin & Forrest Pl'ffs Att'ys.

[illegible]

All the defendant's interest in the following described real estate, to-wit: All that piece, parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and in the county of McKean, bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at a post, the northeast corner of land contracted to Nelson Rice, lot No. 2[illegible], thence east one hundred and nine and five-tenths (109 5-10) perches to a post, the northwest corner of land contracted to George W. Taylor, lot No. 2[illegible], thence south seventy-three perches to a post, the northeast corner of lot No. [illegible], thence west one hundred and nine and five-tenths perches to a post, the northwest corner of land contracted to Jerome K. Stull lot No. 222, thence north seventy-three (73) perches to the place of beginning. Containing fifty (50) acres strict measure, be the same more or less, being lot No. 247 of the allotment of Keating land in Annin tp., and part of warrant No. 1[illegible] being same land conveyed to George W. Champlin by William V. Keating et al by deed dated June 21, 1879 and recorded in the Recorder's office of said county in Deed Book No. [illegible] page [illegible]. Improved and having thereon one one story frame dwelling house, one small frame shed, a young orchard, about 50 trees, apple, peach and pear, a good spring of water and about twenty five acres improved.

Also—All that piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Keating, county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post the northeast corner of land conveyed to [illegible] T. Chamberlain lot No. 2[illegible], thence east fifty six and eight-tenths (56 8-10) perches to [illegible] the northeast corner of land contracted to William Rice, No. 227, thence south eighty nine and [illegible] perches to [illegible] corner of land contracted to Nelson Rice [illegible] Annin township, thence west fifty [illegible] and eight tenths perches to a post [illegible] lot No. 25[illegible], thence north eighty nine and [illegible] perches to the place of beginning. Containing thirty-one and eight tenths acres strict measure, be the same more or less, being lot No. 254 of the allotment of Keating lands in Keating township and part of warrant No. [illegible] by deed from Manville Tuttle [illegible] dated March 21, 1881, recorded in Deed Book No. 25 page 3[illegible] and conveyed by [illegible] Edwin D. Champlin to George W. Champlin by deed dated Aug. [illegible]

Also—All that piece or parcel of land situate in Annin township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, containing ninety nine and nine-tenths (99 9-10) acres, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a post, the northwest corner of land conveyed to George Champlin lot 247, thence south one hundred and fifty-three (153) perches to a post, the southwest corner of land contracted to Jerome K. Stull lot No. 2[illegible], thence west one hundred (100) perches to a post, the southeast corner of land conveyed to Manville Tuttle, lot No. 2[illegible] Keating, thence north eighty-eight (88) perches to a post at the northeast corner of the same, thence north [illegible] sixty six (66) perches to a post at the northeast corner of land contracted to William Rice lot No. 227 Keating, thence east one hundred and eighteen (118) perches to the place of beginning. Containing ninety nine and nine-tenths (99 9-10) acres, be the same more or less, being lots No. 248 and 407 of the allotments of Keating lands in Annin township and part of warrant [illegible] being the same land conveyed [illegible] Keating [illegible] Rice [illegible] Improved and having thereon [illegible] frame dwelling house with shed addition on the rear, one large frame barn, one frame building used as a slaughter house, one orchard (about 75 trees), a good spring of water and about fifty [illegible] acres improved.

Also—One other [illegible] parcel of land situate lying and being in the county and State [illegible] bounded and described as follows viz: Beginning at the northwest corner of Frank Mosely [illegible] and the northeast corner of lot [illegible] 227 of the allotment of [illegible] Keating lands in said township, thence west [illegible] by the line of the said 227 twenty two [illegible] rods, thence southerly by a line parallel with the east line of said No. 227 sixty six [illegible] rods to the south line thereof, thence [illegible] by the south line thereof twenty two [illegible] rods to the southeast corner of said No. 2[illegible], thence [illegible] by the east line of said [illegible] sixty six [illegible] rods to the place of beginning. Containing eight and [illegible] quarter [illegible] acres more or less. Being the same land conveyed by deed of William and Betsey Rice [illegible] Nelson Rice [illegible] the 12th day of November [illegible] Improved.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Geo. W. [illegible] at the suit of C. Scott & Co. and others.

[illegible] W. Smith and J. W. Porter [illegible] Att'ys.

All the defendant's interest in the following real estate, to-wit: All of one lot [illegible] situated in the village of Clermont [illegible] township of Sergeant, county of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, described [illegible] beginning at the southeast corner [illegible] lot owned by John Mack, thence west [illegible] 100 feet, thence [illegible] feet, thence east [illegible] 100 feet, thence [illegible] north [illegible] feet to [illegible] beginning. Containing [illegible] square feet of land [illegible] being the same land [illegible] by John Steinbar [illegible] by deed dated August 24, 1880 [illegible] Recorder's Office of McKean [illegible] Deed Book [illegible] page [illegible] and having thereon one two story frame dwelling [illegible] with one [illegible] two story frame [illegible] a board [illegible]

Seized taken in execution [illegible] the property of [illegible] Christian Herz.

[illegible] Pl'ffs Att'ys.

All the defendant's interest in [illegible] piece or parcel of land situate in [illegible] township of Ceres, county of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, bounded [illegible] viz: Beginning at a [illegible] west line of Henry Smith [illegible] Daniel Benson [illegible] in warrant No. 4[illegible], thence [illegible] east [illegible] perches to [illegible] north 74 [illegible] perches to the centre of the road, thence [illegible] centre of the road north 82 degrees west [illegible] to the west line of said [illegible] thence by said line south 81 3-10 perches to the place of beginning. Containing seven acres and 81 perches strict measure be the same more or less. Recorded in Deed Book H page 3[illegible] & [illegible] dated Nov. 8th, 1881. Improved and having thereon one small barn.

Also—The following described premises situate in the township of Ceres, county of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, viz: Beginning at a post-corner, being the northeast corner of a lot previously conveyed from the said Henry Smith and wife to Polly Messenger, thence [illegible] perches and 5-10 of a perch to a post corner on the south bank of [illegible] thence [illegible] down the bank [illegible] the following courses viz: north [illegible] degrees west six perches, thence south [illegible] degrees west four perches, thence south [illegible] degrees west 79 5-10 perches to a post-corner in the north line of the lot above named, thence by said line east 11 3-10 perches to the place of beginning. Containing one hundred and fifty-five (155) perches of land strict measure be the same more or less, and being part of warrant No. 4329, being the same land conveyed by Polly Messenger to Sally Robinson by deed dated Nov. 20, 1880 and recorded in Deed Book [illegible] page 12. Improved and having thereon erected one [illegible] one and a half story frame dwelling house with [illegible] wing attached, a well of water, fourteen (14) fruit trees.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of H. Robinson at the suit of [illegible] Vinton.

[illegible] Snyder and J. W. Bouton Pl'ffs Att'ys.

All the defendant's interest in the following piece, parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in the township of Hamlin, county of McKean, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a post corner of the Samuel Stanton lot in the north line of warrant No. 2472, thence east along north line of warrant No. [illegible] ninety perches and two-tenths of a perch to the northeast corner of said warrant No. 2472, thence south two hundred and twenty perches to a post, thence west ninety perches and two-tenths of a perch to the southeast corner of the Samuel Stanton lot, thence north two hundred and twenty perches along the Samuel Stanton line to the place of beginning. Containing in all one hundred and twenty four acres of land. Now the intent and meaning of this deed is to convey to the said party of the second part seventy acres the west part of the above described lot to be surveyed by running a line north to south through the above described lot so that there will be just seventy acres on the west side of said line, it being the same land conveyed by O. Perry and wife to Andy Perry by deed dated January 15, 1884, and recorded in Deed Book No. 22, page 417 &c. in the Recorder's office of McKean county. Improved, and having thereon one two story frame dwelling house, one large frame barn, one frame shed, a young orchard, well watered and stream of water running through land. About 35 acres improved.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Andy Perry at suit of Henry Hamlin.

A. I. BANNON Sheriff

Sheriff's office, Smethport, Pa. Sept. 1[illegible] 1887.

Notice.

The following accounts of Executors, and Administrators having been settled in the office of the Register the same will be presented for confirmation at the Orphan's Court to be held at Smethport, in and for the county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania on the first Monday of October A. D. 1887.

First and final account of Corlis H. Foster and A. W. Buchanan, Executors of the last will and testament of Larned S. Foster deceased.

First and final account of H. E. Bligh, Administrator of the estate of William J. Kyle deceased.

First and final account of Augustus Mellander Administrator of the estate of Jacob Borg deceased.

First and final account of [illegible] Devlin Administratrix of the estate of John Devlin deceased.

Second and final account of A. D. Burbank Administrator of the estate of Ephriam Baker deceased.

First and final account of F. B. Davidson Administrator [illegible] of Samuel P. Card deceased.

First and final account of Olive B. Kilburn Administratrix of the Estate of F. P. Kilburn, deceased.

First and final account of Adda L. Corwin, Executrix of the last will and testament of George M. Corwin, deceased who was the Executor of the last will and testament of B. C. Corwin deceased.

J. M. McELROY Register

H. M. CHOATE, Deputy

Smethport Pa. September 3, 1887

Assignee's Account.

In the matter of the assignment of Olin J. Wilcox, Stephen Wilcox and of Wilcox Bros for the benefit of creditors.	In the Court of Common Pleas of McKean county, Pa. No. 194, February Term, 188[illegible]

TO ALL PARTIES CONCERNED

Take notice that I. G. Howe, Assignee of Olin J. Wilcox, Stephen M. Wilcox and of Wilcox Brothers, has filed his first and final accounts as such Assignee in said estates and that the same will be presented to the Court of Common Pleas for allowance at a session of said Court, to be held at Smethport, Pa. on Monday October 1[illegible] 1887 at 2 o'clock p. m. and the same will be then allowed and confirmed unless cause be shown why such accounts should not be allowed.

J. M. McELROY Prothonotary

Lee & Hastings Att'ys for Assignee

Sept 7, 1887 w3

Assignee's Notice.

In the matter of the assignment of G. L. Blackman for the benefit of creditors.	In the Court of Common Pleas of McKean county, Pa. No. 282, Oct. Term, 1886

TO ALL PARTIES CONCERNED

Take notice that B. C. Gallup, Assignee of G. L. Blackman, has filed his first and final account as such assignee in said estate, and that the same will be presented to the Court of Common Pleas for allowance at a session of said Court, to be held at Smethport, Pa., on Tuesday, Oct 4th, A. D. 1887, at 2 o'clock, p. m., and the same will then be allowed and confirmed, and said B. C. Gallup discharged as such assignee, unless cause be shown to the contrary.

J. M. McELROY, Prothonotary

HUGH P. BRAWLEY Deputy

J. W. Bouton, Att'y for Assignee

Smethport, Sept. 9, 1887.

G. BROWN GOODE.

Prof. G. Brown Goode, who has just received from the President the appointment of Commissioner of Fish and Fisheries has been for a number of years Assistant Secretary of the Smithsonian Institute. Prof Goode is about thirty six years of age having been born in Albany, Ind., in 1851. He received his early academic and scientific training at the Wesleyan University at Middletown, Conn. After taking his degree he became attached to the Smithsonian Institute in Washington directing his attention more particularly to ichthyology. Appreciating not only his indefatigable industry but also his scientific acquirements Prof. Baird at once availed himself of his services for the work of the Fish Commission. Having served so long and honorable apprenticeship the present commissioner will carry out successfully the work originated by his distinguished predecessor Spencer Fullerton Baird.

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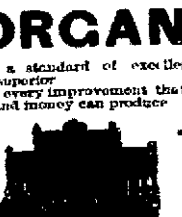

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